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OF THE

United Sons of Confederate
Veterans



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INTRODUCTION.

The two days prior to the beginning of the Reunion were, as they always are, pleasant, animated days of preparation for the work of the Reunion, arrival of the various delegates, officers, sponsors, etc., greetings between those who had enjoyed reunions before and welcome to those who were to participate for the first time.

The Sponsor-in-chief and her party (including, among others, two of her Maids of Honor, the Chaperon and several other ladies, and several delegates and members from Aberdeen and Corinth, Miss., Memphis, Tenn., and other points), arrived on the afternoon of April 21st. They were met by the Commander-in-chief, in person, and escorted to the Oriental Hotel, where their headquarters had been arranged.

The Commander-in-chief arrived on the evening of the 20th and was escorted by the Reception Committee and the Chairmen of the other Committees of Camp W. L. Cabell, of Dallas, to his headquarters at the Oriental.

Several prominent officers, delegates and ladies had arrived previously, notable among whom were the Division Commander of West Virginia and his staff, the Division Commander of Louisiana and his staff, and their respective Sponsors, Maids of Honor and Chaperons.

The Adjutant-General, the Quartermaster-General, several other General-staff officers, the Division Commander of Missouri and his staff, the Sponsor for Missouri and her party, and the St. Louis and several other Missouri delegates and visitors arrived very late on the evening of the 21st.

A large delegation from Memphis, Tenn., including the Department Commander of the Army of Tennessee Department and his staff, the Sponsor of that Department and her party, the Sponsor of the Memphis Camp and her party and several prominent members of that camp, arrived on a special train on the morning of the 22nd. The Department Commanders of the Army of Northern Virginia Department and the Trans-Mississippi Department and the Division Commanders of Mis-

Mississippi, the Indian Territory and Texas, with their respective staffs, Sponsors and parties, arrived on the same morning. The Brigade Commander of the Second Tennessee Brigade and the Division Adjutant of Alabama, (representing their respective Division Commanders), with their parties, arrived about the same time. Other prominent officers and members came in from time to time during these three days.

The headquarters of all these officers, Sponsors, etc, were at the Oriental Hotel, which was headquarters generally for all who were prominently connected with our Confederation, as well as those connected with the United Confederate Veterans. The Chaperons, Sponsors, Maids of Honor and other ladies of the city, as well as the officers and members of the local camp, added their presence to the occasion.

The Reunion was a notable one in many respects. The attendance of members and delegates was the largest in our history; more ladies, veterans and other distinguished visitors attended our sessions (most conspicuous among them was that distinguished ex-Confederate, Hon. John H. Reagan); the interest shown by outsiders in our meetings was the greatest; a greater amount of work, including an entire revision of our constitution, was done by the convention than ever before; the custom of applying high military titles (which detracted from the honor of those earned by the veterans) to our officers was prohibited; our General Confederation banner was displayed for the first time; and our members and officers first appeared in the official uniform, which had just been provided for. The latter attracted great attention and was the subject of much favorable comment.

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By the courtesy of the United Confederate Veterans, the address of welcome to the United Sons of Confederate Veterans was delivered at Confederate Hall, at the Fair Grounds, along with the opening proceedings of the United Confederate Veterans, on the morning of April 22nd. It was delivered by Senator W. C. McKamy, of Dallas County, Texas. No other business meeting was held by the United Sons of Confederate Veterans on that day and the various officers, delegates and members, together with the Sponsors and their parties, attended the meeting of the United Confederate Veterans. Our Sponsors and their parties, and our officers were honored with seats upon the platforms there.

SENATOR MCKAMY'S ADDRESS.

Mr. President:

Speaking on behalf of the local Sons of Confederate Veterans, I am glad to welcome to our midst the United Confederate Veterans, the United Sons of Confederate Veterans, the Ladies of the Confederate Southern Memorial Association, and the United Daughters of the Confederacy, and in so doing, I am voicing the sentiments of the city who sits to-day as a queen in golden slippers at the head of commerce, and of a State, though young in years, is old in experience, and rich, not only in the broad expanse of territory and the diversified fields of industry and enterprise, but rich also in Southern sentiment and in her

chivalrous and heroic past. A State with her livestock industry second to none, with her agricultural and mineral resources tottering from the cradle of infancy and just now beginning to walk alone and offering to young manhood of our sister States new and wonderful advantages and with open heart and outstretched hand, she says come over and cast your lot with us and help us develop the riches of this vast empire, and with her innumerable health resorts of gulf coast, mountain elevation and her gushers of oil flowing forth with which to forever smooth the sea of trouble, she says to the aged, the enfeebled and the infirm, "come over and dwell among us and cast your anchor in the harbor and here live in a climate rich and salubrious as was ever warmed or lighted by an Italian sun." We know that in some of the States from which you come you have your lofty mountains, but they are not more lofty than the spirits of your people. We know that you have pure springs of water bursting from the hillsides, but they are not purer than the sentiments of your people; we know that you have flowers as fair as the lillies of the valley, but they are not fairer than the rose-tinted cheeks of your daughters; we know also that your generosity and hospitality is proverbial, but nowhere will you find these attributes possessed by any people in a greater degree than in Texas, and nowhere can she be equalled save and except in one of her sister Southern States. The United Sons of Confederate Veterans will keep inviolate the objects and purposes of its organization. The collection and preservation of data, the accumulation of testimony and of records and the transmission and dissemination of knowledge with which to keep green in the memory of rising generations the deeds of valor and patriotism performed by our heroes during the war between the States. It is said of the great Napoleon, that upon one occasion, after he had made one of his most successful campaigns and was about to return to France, with his victorious army, there was a halt made for the purpose of reviewing the army of the enemy and of holding a levee, and as the army passed in review before the great warrior, he stood with bowed and uncovered head, and when asked by one of his marshalls why he did not rejoice over the victory they had won, said: "Great are the vanquished in defeat," and so my friends, it was with the Southern army. She was always as great in defeat as she was magnanimous in victory. The world has never seen anything like it, and though overpowered and temporarily overcome by numbers, her proud spirit never yielded, though her factories were destroyed, her plantations devastated and her homes reduced to ashes, yet in less than a quarter of a century she has risen phoenix-like from the ashes of destruction and stands in the front rank of development and enterprise with all the vim and push of vigorous young manhood and having put on the armor of youth and girded her loins about with fidelity, honor and appreciation of her sacred past, she stands now ready to enter the race for the achievement of the crowning glories of life as against the world. Without going into a discussion of the whys and wherefores

and the reasons which brought on the war, it is enough for me to know that the South did what she properly conceived to be her duty in the matter and guided and encouraged by the same watchword the honest and noble and the brave heart always does the same. Some time ago there was an excursion train returning from the coast of California, and on that train were mothers and fathers who in search of health had bade adieu to their loved ones, promising to return in a short time. There were brothers and sisters who in search of recreation and the gorgeous beauties of the Pacific slope, had said: "After a few short weeks we will join you again," and there were sweethearts on that train, who to stand at the golden gate and watch the sun go down behind the surging waves of the old Pacific, had taken a last handshake and said "good-bye until to-morrow." This train had left the Golden Gate and crossed in triumph the Lava Desert and the foothills, and was slowly and steadily ascending in its serpentine course the western side of the Rocky mountains, when it was discovered that a freight train above them had broken loose from the engine and was coming down upon them. The engineer whistled for brakes when the men in charge of the train had responded to the call, he uncoupled his engine from the train and turned it loose to meet the advancing foe and up the side of the mountain it flew as a fierce tiger is wont to pursue her prey. until they met and then there was a crash, an explosion, and the liberated steam, as a white-winged messenger of peace ascended heavenward, and this cargo of human freight was saved and when they had gone to the foot of the mountain and beheld the tumbled mass of wreckage, and looked upon that magnificent engine with its great ribs of steel and its lungs of copper and heart of brass, some one said, "let us build an altar to this, one of the greatest achievements of man, for this engine has saved our lives," but some one more thoughtful said, "no this engine is purely mechanical, what it did, it had to do, but the engineer is the man who has risked his life for us, and to him we will erect an altar of thanks," and they went back upon the side of the mountain where they found him maimed and bleeding and wounded nigh unto death, and the fathers and mothers in token of their appreciation placed upon the altar full grown roses and rare flowers, for they said, "our lives have been prolonged," and the brothers and sisters placed upon the altar half-blown roses and the budding flowers of spring, for they said, "our budding lives have been spared," and the sweethearts came and placed upon the altar the cape jessamine, the lillies of the valley and the bridal wreath, for they said, "the wedding bells will soon be ringing," we shall meet our loved ones again and will live out our lives together, and thus the story is closed with happiness instead of despair, because another man is found even in these latter days who at the risk of his own life is willing to do his duty.

Actuated by this same impulse the woman of the South bore her part with fortitude equal to the ancient Spartan mother. In many cases her delicate hands had been even unused to the labors of house-

hold duties, but when called upon; she not only assumed control of the whole plantation, but went to the field side by side with her devoted slaves and there in the heat and in the cold with those delicate hands did the work of the common laborer, and then when the battle had scarcely ended, when the shells had scarcely quit falling upon the battlefield, she was found administering to the wounded, caring for the dying.

Have you heard of those women long nurtured in ease
And free of life's cares as birds in the trees,
Who, with spirits aflame, when the war toscin pealed
Over valleys and hills, went to toil in the field,
And through heat and through cold, with grim fortitude wrought
In the midst of their slaves, while the patriots fought?

Through the day at the plow, in the night at the wheel—
What age and what cause ever boasted such zeal?
What hearts were so brave and what hands were so fair
As embroidered those flags in the silence of prayer,
That were destined to dazzle the eyes of the world
E'er they sank without blemish, shot-riddled and furled?

What perils they braved, and what hardships they bore!
How they struggled and stinted and fought from the door
The gaunt wolf of hunger that howled evermore!
Yet gave the last morsel of bread from the store
To the famishing army, weak, haggard and white,
That, shivering, slept in the trenches at night,

Or, tender as angels of mercy, they sped
To the scenes of war's carnage, yet blazing and red,
And succored and wounded, as mothers would do
For their own, whether clad in the gray or the blue,
And shrouded the fallen and mournfully read,
In the absence of priest, the sad rites of the dead.

Thus, they have passed through those harrowing years that have flown,
What tears and what heart-aches may never be known—
Brave women! God bless them and give to them length
Of years, with full measures of joys and of strength!
As they gave to the South in the days that she strove
Their loyal devotion, their faith and their love!

In conclusion, my friends, permit me to say that we know you have always been moved by the impulse of duty. Side by side you have walked among us possessing the tall spirits known only to God's noblemen. Your examples are worthy of all imitation and we try to profit by them. May your stay among us be pleasant and profitable, and as you wander down the valley toward the sunset of life, may your pathway be ever strewn with garlands of richest flowers; and when your time is ended and you have been gathered to your final reward, may your lives be imitated, your examples cherished and your deeds of



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valor and patriotism be told by the mother at the cradle, repeated by the orator from the stand and sung by wandering bands of troubadours till time shall be no more.

All the other proceedings of the United Sons of Confederate Veterans took place in the Auditorium of the City Hall, corner of Commerce and Akard streets. These convenient and spacious quarters were secured by Camp "W. L. Cabell" No. 49, of Dallas. They were admirably arranged and handsomely decorated with flags and pictures of many Confederate statesmen and heroes.

The opening meeting was attended by a large number of Sponsors, Maids of Honor, Chaperons and other ladies, as well as by many Veterans and other distinguished visitors. The Sponsors and their parties were accompanied to the hall by the local Escort Committee under the leadership of Manning B. Shannon, chairman. Their arrival was greeted by bursts of enthusiastic applause. The meetings, generally, were much more largely attended than ever before by ladies and their presence added greatly to the attractiveness and interest of the occasions. The attendance of other visitors was also large. The Louisiana, West Virginia and Fort Worth delegations were each greeted with loud applause as they entered. The Fort Worth camp has the magnificent membership of 1,052.

The attendance of delegates, officers and other members was the largest in the history of the Organization, and the interest and enthusiasm displayed by them by far the greatest. The minutes will show the great volume of business transacted by them, as well as its importance.

WEDNESDAY MORNING, APRIL 23d.

The convention was called to order at 10 o'clock by Harry L. Seay, Esq., Commandant of Camp "W. L. Cabell" No. 49, of Dallas. The Chaplain-General and Assistant Chaplain-General being unavoidably absent, Rev. J. Frank Smith, Chaplain of Camp "W. A. Cabell," offered an eloquent invocation.

Commandant Seay then introduced R. E. L. Saner, Esq., who delivered an address of welcome on behalf of Camp "W. L. Cabell" as follows:

R. E. L. SANER'S ADDRESS.

Mr. Chairman, Ladies and Gentlemen:

On behalf of W. L. Cabell Camp, Sons of Confederate Veterans, on behalf of the City of Dallas, and the State of Texas, permit me to extend to you, one and all, a most hearty welcome to our City and State.

We are delighted to have the sons and daughters of the Southland visit us. Our hearts and our homes are open to you, and we want each of you to feel that Dallas extends a most cordial greeting to all.

The sentiment of a people is the ruling cause of the development of history. No people were ever great without the quickening sentiment of history as a fitting background and inspiration.

The organization of the Sons of Confederate Veterans was to keep alive the sentiment of valorous deeds and heroic achievements of Lee, Jackson, Longstreet, Cabell and thousands upon thousands of other noble hearts enlisted in a cause which closed in defeat, but which, if history is written aright and the sentiment of chivalry and valor of the old Southland is kept alive and fresh in the minds of the growing, vigorous manhood and womanhood of the South, it will achieve a victory in the development of a citizenship so strong, sturdy and capable, that out of the future will be carved such a splendid victory that we can well say that it is a victory of to-day, wrung from the defeat of yesterday.

Texas and her citizenship owe much to the States of the Confederacy that was in 1861. It was from these States that came the men who made it possible that Texas one and indivisible, an imperial State as she is to-day, could give you welcome, thrice welcome, as she does upon this occasion welcome. It was the sentiment of the Sons of the South that caused them in 1836 to come and give to Texas her independence, and we as representatives of the fruit of this victory, welcome you to our great State and extend you an invitation to remain and send for large delegations of your friends to come among us and make it possible for Texas to represent, as I believe she will, the highest type of American manhood and womanhood, because we have in our State representation of the highest and best citizenship, not only of all the Southern, but Northern States of the Union.

We want you to see the cotton and the tobacco of Middle Texas, the corn and wheat of Northern Texas, the rice, sugar and oil of Southern Texas, the honey of Central Texas, and the fruit and vegetables of East Texas and the cattle and mineral of West Texas, and then truly will it dawn upon you the greatness of our State, and the broad and expansive welcome that we extend to you.

Commandant Seay, then, in a few appropriate words, turned command over to J. P. Moulden, Esq., of McKinney, Texas, Brigade Commander of the Fourth Brigade, who, in a neat and telling address, as follows, transferred command to Division Commander, Thomas P. Stone, Esq., of Waco, Texas.

BRIGADE COMMANDER J. P. MOULDEN'S ADDRESS.

Commandant W. L. Cabell, Camp No. 49:

As Brigade Commander of the Fourth Brigade of Texas, I accept with pleasure command of the United Sons of Confederate Veterans in convention assembled, and I wish to say to them, this is one of the proudest moments of my life. To be commander of these brave, noble and generous hearted young men, for such I know they are, is the most honorable distinction ever conferred upon me. The fact of your membership in this organization is proof that you have profound respect for your ancestors and that you love, honor and cherish the grand and noble acts of their lives.

I wish to say to the Sponsors and to the Maids of Honor that your presence at the meetings of your respective camps, adds purity and sweetness and lends moral courage to these young men. It helps them to work with more zeal and interest in perpetuating the memory of the old soldiers who have fallen, and to care for those who are yet living.

And now to my comrades pledging you my best efforts, though keenly feeling my incompetency to serve you in this capacity, I turn command over to our worthy Division Commander, Thomas P. Stone of Waco.

Division Commander Stone was greeted with vociferous applause and he delivered the following eloquent and appropriate address:

DIVISION COMMANDER STONE'S ADDRESS.

Comrades, Ladies and Gentlemen:

As a Texan and as commander of this Division of our Confederation, I feel highly honored and it gives me great pleasure to preside over this convention, although it be for only a few moments. It fills my heart with pride to stand before you on this occasion as one of you; for we have a grand and noble cause, we ought to feel proud of the work we are doing, for it appeals to the highest impulses of our natures; it proclaims to the world that we are not ashamed to be called the Sons of Confederate Veterans, it will prove to those who do not understand the purposes of our organization that we are ready to write a true account of that history which our fathers made when fighting under the banner of the "Stars and Bars." It is our right, it is our duty and should be our pleasure to perpetuate the valor, the patriotism and heroic deeds of those who once formed the Army and Navy of the Southern Confederacy. They were the greatest heroes the world has ever produced, for it was in defense of home that prompted them to take up arms against the government which they had helped to establish. It was that which inspired them to such deeds of heroism and sacrifices; for when the home is invaded then do you arouse that warm blood which courses through the veins of every brave and chivalrous Southern man. Such was the issue made in 1861, and like all true men they

rallied around that cause which was dearer to them than life itself; they stood ready to leave all in defense of that principle, a principle which was nurtured in the pure soil of a Southern heart, and blossomed under the bullet showers of a battlefield, after thousands had fallen in that conflict against might and numbers. The struggle over, peace declared, the Southern soldiers, ragged, tired and hungry, overpowered but not defeated, turned homeward, alas! Where were their homes? only to find a deplorable condition; wasted lands, broken constitutions. These men who had fought with such bravery, with such devotion and loyalty to their country's cause, put down the musket for the hoe, the saber for the plow, the sword for the pen, and revived a nation unexcelled in social and intellectual progress and power. These were men, the full measure and statue of perfect men, born to meet any situation. They arose to the necessity of new duties like the "water bending itself to any channel, or the air folding itself to each new figure."

My comrades let us feel the thrill of Southern patriotism if only through a father's and mother's experience, let us be not indifferent to the truth of that history, the facts of which are so often perverted; rather let us join hands with those who made that history, while they remain and proclaim to the world the truth of that memorable war, that posterity may read what and who the Confederate soldier was. No more beautiful tribute could be paid to his memory in the history to be written than to record that he was true to his home, true to that which was right, and loyal to that flag which was furled on the plains of Appomattox never to wave again over this beautiful land of ours. My comrades, we have a great work before us; let us strive to do our duty, let us prove ourselves worthy sons of such heroes as were the Confederate soldiers; let us emulate their example by always responding where duty calls; it will make us better men and worthier to bear the good names and uphold the glorious heritage which they have left to us.

Now a word to my comrades from other States. I want to welcome you to this grand State of ours: we want you to feel at home among us, for this is one of the States that formed that galaxy of States composing the Confederate government. We are the same people, the same blood flows through our veins that courses through yours. Our ancestors mostly came from other Southern States. We are the same people and in the name of the fifty-seven camps of the Sons of Confederate Veterans of Texas, I welcome you to its borders with the hope that when you return to your homes you will have a kind feeling for Texas, her boys, her old soldiers and our beautiful women. It is with regret that I have to announce that our comrade and our Department Commander, the noble, the chivalrous and grand man, Dr. W. D. Buckner of Pine Bluff, Arkansas, cannot be with us on this occasion on account of illness which deprives us of an eloquent address, and it is now my pleasure to turn this convention over to him who is the ideal of Southern chivalry, grandeur, high and beautiful

character, our Commander-in-chief, Judge R. B. Haughton, whom we are proud to recognize as our leader.

Commander-in-Chief Haughton then advanced to the rostrum, amid enthusiastic and continued applause, and assumed command of the convention in the following words:

COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF HAUGHTON'S ADDRESS.

I feel it to be a most exalted privilege to assume command of this organization. The purposes for which we are banded together make it an honor for any one to preside over our meetings. Our Order is designed to aid our fathers in the work which their present organization has undertaken, to care for their former comrades who have become unable to care for themselves, to right the wrongs which history has done to the Southern Confederacy and its people and to preserve for ourselves and our descendants the hallowed memories which cling thick and beautiful around the vision of that fallen Commonwealth.

The concrete work that is before us is grand enough to satisfy the aspirations of the most ambitious dreamer. To be allowed to render these sacred duties to the men who carried the banner of the Confederacy through the smoke and fire of those four fierce years should be, and is glory enough for all of us. And we will always appreciate the privileges which these confer.

But there is vouchsafed to us another privilege still. We are the representatives of the men who wrought the great achievements of the Confederacy and it is our proud privilege to have transmitted to us the heritage of the inspiring and beautiful sentiments which cluster around the life of that Confederation.

Sentiments are not ethereal only. Sometimes they are the most potent and enduring things in creation. Horace spoke truly when he wrote of his works: "I have erected a monument more enduring than brass." It is a sentiment which leads men into the mouths of cannon to protect the honor of their country; it is a sentiment which nerves the hero to walk into the jaws of death to save the life of a fallen comrade; and many of the most powerful springs to human action are sentiments and sentiments only.

Brass will canker into dust; marble will resolve itself into its original elements; the most adamantine of the material things of earth will in their time, pass away; but the great thoughts, the noble expressions, the pure sentiments of a people will endure for all time.

Therefore, I say that the greatest heritage which we have from the achievements of our fathers is the fact that we are crowned with the sentimental halo which adorns their past.

Let it be our care that we properly appreciate our great privileges.

The ancient Roman would point with pride to the fact that he was a citizen of the Eternal City; Grecian poets and orators have enriched the world with tributes to the prowess and beauty of that

wonderful nation; the loyal Scot, who can trace his lineage back to the heroes who surrounded Wallace and Bruce, has title clear to pre-eminence among his fellows; and the heroism of the knightly chevaliers who wrought out England's greatness adorns the greatest of England's nobility to-day, in the crests and coats of arms which they proudly preserve and cherish.

So with us. The descendants of the men who fought and won Bull Run, Seven Pines, Shiloh, Chickamauga, Chancellorsville, The Seven Days' Battles, the Campaign in the Shenandoah, Fredericksburg, The Wilderness, Spottsylvania, Cold Harbor and the other great victories of the Confederacy, have a heritage far grander than that of the most noble of noble foreigners, and the magnificent records of the men of the old world shine with no such brilliancy as do those of our fathers.

Look at the comparison:

In the famed charge of the Light Brigade at Balaklava the loss was 37½ per cent.—one North Carolina Regiment in that tempest of fire at Gettysburg lost 85 per cent. At Austerlitz 14 per cent. and at Wagram 16 per cent. of the French army bit the dust—at Chickamauga the Confederate loss was 29 per cent. and at Franklin 33 per cent. The total loss on both sides in the Crimean, Austro-Prussian and Franco-Prussian war was 3 per cent.—the Federal loss in the war between the States was 4.7 per cent., while the Confederate loss reached the astounding proportions of 10 per cent.

Again: Military authorities of recognized standing say that the bombardment of Sebastopol, which is generally considered one of the fiercest in history, was light compared to that of Fort Fisher.

Again: The contending forces at Austerlitz aggregated 170,000 men—those at Gettysburg aggregated 170,000 and those at Chancellorsville, 188,000.

Arcola, Marengo and Jena were brilliant triumphs of Napoleon's strategy—European military authorities have not yet solved Jackson in his wonderful campaign in the Shenandoah. French soldier and Emperor spread lustre over the human race when they gave to the world that brilliant exhibition of courage, endurance and patriotism shown in the Russian campaign; yet it must lower its colors to the magnificent achievements of our peerless Lee and his peerless men in the last year of the war. England fought and won the battles of Agincourt, Blenheim, Inkermann, Waterloo and Trafalgar—yet the race that won these great triumphs went down to defeat before American arms.

Is our country great? The men who contributed most to her greatness were men from Southern soil. Soldiers, statesmen, diplomats, orators, scientists and scholars are the products which the South has contributed to its glory. Is there a brilliant period in American history? It is that of the four years' struggle between those gigantic forces of the North and the South. Those years have portrayed in colors more

vivid than any others of our history the true strength of our strong and great people. It is for this that we claim pre-eminence over the men of the Old World.

And while apparent victory perched upon the banners of the North at the end of the great conflict, the true victory belongs to the South. The battle is not always to the strong, nor the race to the swift. The verdict of a day cannot withstand the verdict of time. And in the impartial judgment of an impartial world, to-day, the true victors in the war between the States were the men who followed Jackson and Lee.

The Commander-in-chief then introduced Hon. Jared Y. Sanders, of the New Orleans Camp, Speaker of the House of Representatives of Louisiana, who made the following eloquent response to the address of welcome:

HON. JARED Y. SANDERS' RESPONSE.

Comrades, Ladies and Gentlemen:

It needed not the spoken word of greeting to let us know that our presence was welcome in your midst, for we had already seen it in your faces and felt it in your handclasp. The welcome that this, the queen city of this mighty State, has given us will ever be a green spot in our memory. We meet here because the United Confederate Veterans have selected the city and because we are the Sons of Veterans.

How proud we are of that title, how we glory in it; how our hearts swell when we remember for how much it stands! It means that our fathers participated in the most terrific war of all the ages. It means that for four long years of death, desolation and destruction they did their duty as brave men and as conscientious citizens. It means that they followed the Stars and Bars from triumphant Manassas to despairing Appomattox.

What Southern boy is there whose very being does not thrill with exaltation when he hears how his father followed the banners of the great chieftians of the Confederacy! No Southern mother may ask more than that her son be worthy of his Confederate father; no Southern boy a nobler wish than that he may safely keep the fame and name his soldier father left him, for in asking this they ask it all. For what men of what age and clime ever equalled our heroes of the South? The South's was a courage that knew no faltering; theirs an adherence to principle that has awakened the admiration of the world, and their steadfastness in the hour of defeat and surrender is to-day the brightest page in all American history. They were the most valiant and courageous soldiers the world has ever known. They fought and stormed and charged and suffered through four long years of awful death and carnage, victors upon a hundred battlefields. Their only wage was glory, and they battled only for principle. And when the

arbitrament of the sword had gone against them, when their government, their institutions and their surroundings had been swept away and their homes had been left desolate in the wake of triumphant armies, and when from sheer exhaustion they could no longer maintain the struggle, this desperate soldiery became again the citizen. They faced the new conditions and the new surroundings that their defeat had brought about and worked out the problem of their lives and citizenship with a bravery more sublime than they had ever exhibited upon a battlefield. Calmly, courageously, these heroic soldiers of the South erected upon the ruins left by war, and under strange conditions, the structure of a mighty civilization brought order and prosperity out of chaos and ruin, and now in the twilight of their lives are prepared to transmit to us, their sons, the glory of their valor in war and their more glorious triumphs in peace.

Our fathers fought for the South, for their homes, for their firesides and for their principles, and when that war was ended they worked and lived as they fought. The great cities, the happy homes and the teeming, busy population of our Southland attest to-day, as if in letters of fire, the fact that as they fought so have they lived, for the South, for her peace, her greatness and her prosperity.

The old Confederate soldiers were giants—giants in their strength of soul and of heart, of brain and of arm. The old line of gray is growing thinner and thinner, and soon they will all have crossed the river to rest under the shade of the trees. Let us honor and cherish them whilst we can, for the world may never look upon their kind again.

The brain of man may conceive, and the tongue of man may give utterance to what our fathers did, but when we approach the subject of the women of the South language is, indeed, too poor to convey the thoughts and feelings that arise within us. God and the women of the South alone know their devotion, their strength of heart, their courage and their suffering; and to them, the mothers, the wives, the sisters and the sweethearts of our Southern men, in my mind, can be attributed the greater part of our valor in war and our triumphs in peace. They had all the courage that ever animated the Spartan women of old, and with it a sweetness and a refinement and a loveliness all their own. As long as the memory of our fathers and our mothers abide with us, just that long will the characteristics of the old South remain the characteristics of Southern men.

To the people of this great city we extend our thanks for the reception we have received at your hands, and in doing so we know that your welcome has been so kind, your hospitality so generous, because we are the sons of those who wore the gray, who followed the battleflags of the Confederacy on so many fields of honor, and who, by their deeds of daring, their courage in conflict and their steadfastness in defeat, have written their names in letters of fire in the eternal records of fame.



MISS KATIE COLE.
MAID OF HONOR TO THE
SPONSOR-IN-CHIEF
DALLAS, TEX.



MISS MARTHA BLANCHE PORTER
FIRST MAID OF HONOR TO THE
SPONSOR-IN-CHIEF.
MEMPHIS, TENN.



MISS MARY EDMUNDS SYKES
SPONSOR-IN-CHIEF
ABERDEEN, MISS.



MRS. EUGENE LANIER SYKES
CLARENDON, FOR THE PARTY OF THE SPONSOR-IN-CHIEF
NEW YORK, N.Y.



MISS CLAUDE BROWNRIGG MCQUISTON,
MAID OF HONOR TO THE SPONSOR-IN-CHIEF.
ABERDEEN, MISS.

The Commander-in-chief then directed that members of the various standing committees who were present meet at once in designated portions of the hall so as to arrange for the work of their respective committees.

Comrade Monte J. Moore, of Cameron, Texas, moved that the chair appoint a committee of three to extend the greetings of the United Sons of Confederate Veterans, in convention assembled, to the United Confederate Veterans.

The Commander-in-chief, stating that it was unnecessary to put such a motion to the house, declared it the will of the convention and appointed the following Comrades as such committee:

Monte J. Moore, Cameron, Tex.

H. T. Liverman, Mansfield, La.

W. L. Holland, Dallas, Tex.

The Adjutant-General then called the roll of the general officers and camps of the Confederation in order. During the call the various credentials of delegates, together with proper certificates, were handed in.

After the roll call was completed the Commander-in-chief appointed the following Committee on Credentials:

Virginia, E. P. Cox.

North Carolina, (No representative.)

South Carolina, (No representative.)

Kentucky, A. T. Burgevin.

West Virginia, K. M. Snyder.

Georgia, Dr. Henry B. Green.

Alabama, Lawson Sykes.

Tennessee, R. I. Chester.

Mississippi, W. A. Henry.

Louisiana, W. M. Barrow.

Florida, E. A. Perry.

Arkansas, R. M. Wallace.

Texas, W. P. Lane.

Missouri, Frank B. Williams.

Indian Territory, J. D. Smith.

District of Columbia, (No representative.)

The Committee on Credentials now retired to consider as to its report and a recess was taken by the convention until 2 o'clock p. m.

WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON.

Owing to the fact that the Committee on Credentials was not ready to report, the convention was not called to order by the Commander-in-chief until 3 o'clock.

Commandant W. R. Kivett, of Colorado Springs, Colo., was recognized and made a short talk. He told of the affairs of the organization in Colorado and other Western States and extended the greetings of Mrs. Margaret Howell Jefferson Davis Hayes, of Colorado Springs, the daughter of our revered ex-President, to our Confederation. He asked leave to present them in writing at a later date. They were as follows:

GREETINGS OF

MRS. MARGARET HOWELL JEFFERSON DAVIS HAYES.

Colorado Springs, Colo., April 21, 1902.

W. R. Kivett, Commander, Dallas, Tex.:

My Dear Sir:—Through the Sons of Veterans of Colorado I send my loving greetings to the people of Texas, who have in the past, and always shown their loyalty to our dear dead cause; and their love for their beloved president—my father—by honoring his more than grateful daughter.

I also send my affectionate greetings, to every veteran present, and to each Daughter of the Confederacy, one of whom I am proud to call myself. I also greet the Sons of Confederate Veterans, who have so honored me and mine, and I hope to have a worthy representative to offer them next year, if my duties oblige me to absent myself, as they now do, in the person of my daughter, Lucy White Hayes, who is loyal to the land of her birth, and will be only too glad to act as their sponsor as I would have been if I had been mistress of my time.

Mr. Hayes, at the age of thirteen, ran away and joined his gallant young brother, Richard Hightower Hayes, who was a captain at nineteen, promoted for gallantry, and whose example inspired his young brother to follow and join the Confederate forces.

My husband was then too young to serve his country, but as soon as he could carry his gun, he was in the thick of battle, till the end.

His whole heart was given to our dear country, and loyal affection, and his greatest grief is his inability to live among his own people.

He lost his health in the effort to serve the sufferers of the Yellow Fever epidemic of 1878 in Memphis; and since then has lived in Colorado.

I make this statement because I know many of our people think I married a Northern man, because I am forced to live away from my own people, and no more loyal Southerner lives than my husband, Joel Addison Hayes, a native of Mississippi, of an old Tennessee family, and a grandson of Chief Justice Henderson, of North Carolina.

Mr. Hayes' health obliges him to seek the softer climate of California every spring, and as he has to go, I am usually obliged to remain at home, as my duties claim my presence.

Though I was a little child, I remember vividly the impression made on me, as I watched our soldiers march by half starved, poorly clothed, except for the whole armor of God, strong in their sense of right, ready to die in defence of their country, their homes, and the women who bore their names.

These woman, born in luxury, spun and wove and stitched loving, loyal thoughts onto the clothes they sent to the soldiers; and I remember plaiting straw to make them hats, which my elders sewed and shaped. I am often asked to plait a few inches now to show how it was done.

To those brave unselfish loyal women of the Confederacy, that all honor be given. Their spirit still lives in their daughters, the Daughters of the Confederacy, who never tire in their efforts to keep green the memories of our beloved dead, and who hold the welfare of those veterans, still living, a sacred, tender charge.

Again I greet you one and all, my dearly loved people, and pray God may send you every blessing. Yours faithfully,

MARGARET HOWELL JEFFERSON DAVIS HAYES.

Assistant Adjutant-General Burgevin, Secretary of the Committee on Credentials, reported a number of irregularities in the credentials handed in by several camps and read a list of these camps, notifying the delegates from them to correct the irregularities at once.

The Commander-in-chief then announced the program for the afternoon.

Comrade Homer D. Wade, of Waco, Tex., moved that the chair appoint a committee to draft resolutions on the death of General Wade Hampton, which motion was duly seconded and carried. Comrades Homer D. Wade, of Waco, Tex.; Hon. W. H. Clark, of Dallas, Tex.; and W. B. McAdams, of Ft. Worth, Tex., were appointed as such committee and were directed to report before the convention adjourned.

Our distinguished comrade, Hon. R. Minor Wallace, of Arkansas, (who was a prominent candidate for Congress), was called on for a speech and was escorted to the stage amid generous applause. He charmed the audience with a beautiful and eloquent address. He was repeatedly interrupted by bursts of applause and completely captivated the convention by his address—particularly by his peroration, which was an eulogy of the leaders of the Confederate armies. At the close of his address, the Commander-in-chief extended to him the thanks and congratulations of the convention.

The Committee on Credentials announced that they were now ready to report; whereupon the report was handed to the Adjutant-General and read by him. Some confusion and misunderstanding arose in connection with the credentials from several camps, owing to their failure to comply with the constitutional requirements regarding written credentials, delay in the payment of per capita tax and sending in muster rolls to the Adjutant-General's office. The Adjutant-General reminded the delegates that it is important that muster rolls and per capita tax be sent to general headquarters before the reunion begins, in order that the Adjutant-General may have his books and report in readiness for the convention.

The report of the Committee on Credentials was as follows:

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON CREDENTIALS.

The following are the camps having delegates present which are entitled to representation in this convention. The number of votes to which each is entitled is set opposite the name of the camp.

<i>No.</i>	<i>Name.</i>	<i>Location.</i>	<i>Votes.</i>
1	R. E. Lee	Richmond, Va	14
17	Henry Wyatt	Winston, N. C	2
18	Thos. Hardeman	Macon, Ga	10
45	Norton	Seneca, S. C	9
46	John B. Gordon	Atlanta, Ga	10
49	W. L. Cabell	Dallas, Texas	64
50	John B. Hood	Galveston, Texas	4
61	John A. Broadus	Louisville, Ky	15
69	J. Z. George	Yazoo City, Miss	5
87	Henry M. Ashbey	Knoxville, Tenn	3
93	Francis S. Barton	Savannah, Ga	18
110	Pierce J. Gilbert	Napoleonville, La	5

<i>No.</i>	<i>Name.</i>	<i>Location.</i>	<i>Votes.</i>
124	Cal Crozier	Tyler, Texas	15
126	Victor St. Martin	Donaldsonville, La	5
129	Sul Ross	Waco, Texas	24
130	Beauregard	New Orleans, La	14
133	H. W. Allen	Baton Rouge, La	14
134	J. S. Roane	Pine Bluff, Ark	12
144	Chas. A. Brusle	Plaquemine, La	2
145	Sterling Price	St. Louis, Mo	9
148	Beine Chapman	Union, W. Va	6
149	Sam Davis	Ardmore, I. T	7
152	Holman-Boone	Fayetteville, Tenn	2
153	Tom Green	San Antonio, Texas	5
161	Stonewall Jackson	Staunton, Va	2
162	J. A. Cummins	Bowie, Texas	4
168	Hector McKethan	Fayetteville, N. C	2
169	Marrietta	Marietta, Indian Territory	2
175	Jefferson Davis	Colorado Springs, Col	10
184	Sam Davis	Milford, Texas	2
188	W. W. Meriwether	Paragould, Ark	12
189	Springfield	Springfield, Mo	2
196	West Feliciana	St. Francisville, La	5
199	Henry Kyd Douglas	Shepherdstown, W. Va	7
201	Stonewall Jackson	Charles Town, W. Va	4
206	Joe Wheeler	Tuscumbia, Ala	6
209	Sam Davis	Humboldt, Tenn	4
211	John W. Morton	New Albany, Miss	3
212	Smith Lipscomb	Gaffney, S. C	3
215	N. B. Forrest	Memphis, Tenn	56
219	Joe B. Freeman	Jackson, Tenn	11
220	L. Q. C. Lamar	Oxford, Miss	2
228	Dick Taylor	Marlin, Texas	5
230	Stonewall Jackson	Purcell, I. T	2
235	R. O. Reynolds	Aberdeen, Miss	4
236	Jefferson Davis	Jackson, Miss	4
239	R. E. Lee	Forth Worth, Texas	105
241	William S. Bankhead	Courtland, Ala	3
244	Gus. A. Scott	Jackson, La	3
254	Toby's Business College	Waco, Texas	5
255	W. S. Davis	Waynesboro, Miss	3
259	Holtzclaw	Montgomery, Ala	3
261	Pat Cleburne	Sheridan, Ark	4
264	Turgis	New Orleans, La	2
271	Crockett	Alamo, Tenn	3
273	Philip Frazier	Lewisburg, W. Va	2
277	Guy Druex	Gretna, La	3
282	Lone Star	Center, Texas	2

<i>No.</i>	<i>Name.</i>	<i>Location.</i>	<i>Votes</i>
283	Andrew J. Griggs	Camden, Ark	6
285	E. A. Perry	Pensacola, Fla.	5
287	Baylor University	Waco, Texas	5
291	Bonanchaud	New Roads, La	8
294	Pat Cleburne	Van Buren, Ark	5
299	H. B. Granbury	Hico, Texas	6
300	Calvin Crozier	Wills Point, Texas	3
306	Troupe Randle	Union Springs, Ala	4
309	J. H. Hamner	West, Texas	3
311	W. W. Merritt	McKinney, Texas	7
312	Stonewall Jackson	Holliday, Texas	7
314	Ector	Marshall, Texas	6
315	Joe Wheeler	Candadian, I. T	5
322	Henry Gray	Coushatta, La	2
323	Nathan Bedford Forrest	Greenfield, Tenn	2
325	Dick Taylor	Mansfield, La	4
327	Thomas G. Connally	McGregor, Texas	8
328	Stonewall Jackson	Pilot Point, Texas	4
329	Sul Ross	Kaufman, Texas	13
330	Albert Sydney Johnson	Big Springs, Texas	4
333	Stonewall Jackson	Durant, I. T	5
334	J. B. E. Stuart	Mabank, Texas	3
343	Pelham	Montezuma, Ga	3
345	J. C. Rogers	Cameron, Texas	4
347	John H. Reagan	Lancaster, Texas	4
349	Terry's Rangers	El Paso, Texas	3
352	Rea	Lake Providence, La... ..	2
356	Stonewall Jackson	Garland, Texas	4
358	Leroy Stafford	Alexandria, La	5
359	J. L. Holbert	Corsicana, Texas	4
362	Albert Sydney Johnston	Duncan, I. T	3
365	Tom Green	Lewisville, Texas	3
367	Stonewall Jackson	Gilesland, La	2
370	Frank Cockrell	Muskogee, I. T	2
371	Jeff Davis	Chicota, I. T	2

Total number of votes 711

R. MINOR WALLACE, Chairman.

A. THRUSTON BURGEVIN, Secretary.

(The list of Camps paid up but having no delegates present is omitted to save space. The financial responses from the Camps generally are fine).

It was moved, seconded and carried by an unanimous vote that the report of the Committee on Credentials be adopted in so far as it referred to credentials regular in form and that those delegates whose credentials were not in form be allowed to correct irregularities at any time before adjournment.

The reading of the reports of the Adjutant-General and the Quartermaster-General were laid over until the next day.

The report of the Historical Committee and a letter from its chairman were read by Comrade Brant H. Kirk, of Waco, Tex., in the absence of the chairman, Col. William F. Jones, of Elberton, Ga. They were as follows:

LETTER FROM CHAIRMAN JONES.

Elberton, Ga., April 18, 1902.

United Sons of Confederate Veterans, Dallas, Texas.

My Dear Comrades:—From my far-off Georgia home I send you greeting, and wish you God-speed in all of your deliberations and undertakings.

I had looked forward to meeting you in Dallas with much pleasure, but find that important duties need and demand my presence at home.

I hope for the sake of the truth, for the present and the future, that you will seriously consider the recommendations of the Historical Committee.

With no desire on earth to even mention anything that I may have done, I wish to state that I have tried to do my duty. I have cheerfully contributed my time and money in promoting the work of our committee.

I am not, never have been and never will be a candidate for any place of honor or emolument within the gift of our Confederation. This declaration I make in all sincerity. We may meet each year for the next fifty years and pass patriotic resolutions, but if we do nothing more, many thousands of future men and women of the South will not only think that Lee was wrong, but will rejoice to know that his cause went down in overwhelming defeat. I am not a pessimist. I try to take an optimistic view of everything, but when I look around me and see thousands of young men and women who do not know why the South fought the North, whose limited knowledge of American history has been obtained from sources prejudicial to this dear Southland, the land of our brave fathers and pure, sweet mothers, I tremble for the future.

You are busy, thousands of you, "from early morn" till past "dewy eve" with your professional and business duties. Do you know what is being instilled into the minds and hearts of your children? If not, go with me on a tour of inspection to our school rooms throughout the

land. Examine the teachers themselves on American history, examine closely what books the children study, draw the children into a discussion of the causes and incidents of the Civil War and you will agree with me that hard, persistent, intelligent work is the one thing "devoutly to be wished for."

Some competent comrade who can devote his whole time to this work should be put in my place, and he should be paid for his labor.

In view of the declarations above made, no comrade can possibly think that I want the place for myself.

I wish I could be with you and discuss this important matter at length.

With best wishes for you all, wishing you a pleasant meeting and a safe return to your several homes, and invoking God's blessings upon you in your deliberations, I am

Sincerely your comrade,

WILLIAM F. JONES.

REPORT OF THE HISTORICAL COMMITTEE.

Judge R. B. Haughton, Commander-in-Chief U. S. C. V., Dallas, Texas.

We are unable to report the exact progress of our work in every State. In a few States our joint committees of Sons, Daughters and Veterans have gone to work in a systematic way, and, as a natural consequence, great good has been the outcome.

We wish to renew the recommendations made in our former reports, and to call your attention to the fact that had those recommendations been carried out, that we would have made material progress in every nook and corner of our land. As it is, little attention is paid in many communities to the work that our committee is trying to accomplish. We know of no important enterprise that ever was successfully established without intelligent, well-directed work. It will not do for us vainly to hope that all will be well in the end, and to dismiss the subject to take care of itself.

How long will it take a hundred workmen to finish a ten-story structure, if several hundred people are engaged in tearing down their work and digging beneath the foundation of the building? And yet this very thing has been done ever since the star of the Confederacy went down at Appomattox. Let us erect our building in spite of the would-be destroyers. We must drive them away, probe down to see that our foundation has not been undermined and courageously discharge our sacred duty in erecting a structure that will withstand successfully the tempests of the ages.

The fame and deeds of our fathers, their loyalty, their sufferings, their sublime faith in the justness of their cause, their dauntless heroism and spotless integrity, all come down to us as a priceless heritage



MISS EDYTH LOUISE MALLORY,
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MEMPHIS, TENN.



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SPONSOR FOR TRANS-MISSISSIPPI DEPT.
PINE BLUFF, ARK.



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MAID OF HONOR, ARMY OF NORTHERN
VIRGINIA & DEPARTMENT,
NORFOLK, VA.



MISS AGNES DREWRY,
SPONSOR FOR TRANS-MISSISSIPPI DEPT.
CENTRALIA, ILL.



FRED D. BUCANER,
DEPT. COMMANDER,
TRANS-MISSISSIPPI DEPT.
PINE BLUFF, ARK.



EDWIN D. COX,
DEPT. COMMANDER,
ARMY OF VIRGINIA DEPT.
RICHMOND, VA.



that we should hand down to our children and to our children's children, and enjoin to defend forever with their means, their lives and their sacred honor.

Be not deceived. Don't think that we can do this thing successfully when in the minds of our children, seeds that germinate and grow and bear fruits of ignorance, or prejudice, of downright disloyalty to the memories of the men who fought and died for Dixie, are being industriously sown.

We have great respect for the men in blue who fought for their honest convictions, but we do not think that they are the proper ones to write our school histories. Books, however, written by men who fought in the Union army, are greatly to be preferred to works written by certain patriots who never faced a foe on the battlefield.

Well, a condition and not a theory confronts us. We state it in a clean-cut, positive manner. Books are taught in our schools that are outrageously unfair both to the North and to the South and should be countenanced by the people of neither section. Surely every honest American will agree with us when we say that such vicious literature should find not even a temporary habitation in any institution of learning in all this land. We should eliminate these books from our schools. There is another class of books that is totally unfair to the South, her traditions, her honor, her glory. If we should eliminate the first class, what should we do with the second class—this monster of iniquity?

We have been told if Southern parents would tell their children about the causes that led up to the Civil War, and request their children's teachers to supplement the parents' work, that things would work out fairly well. Here is food for a vast amount of thought. If all Southern parents knew what to tell their children, if all teachers knew what to teach them, and if both parents and teachers would do their duty along this line, this committee's work would be reduced to the minimum right away.

We have repeatedly called your attention to the fact that no man is bold enough to deny, that thousands of boys and girls are growing up with improper conceptions of the causes that produced the war between the States. We have shown you that vicious books are largely responsible for this deplorable condition. Thousands of young men and women enter the schoolroom every year as teachers. If little or no attention is paid to the study of American history in the schools that send them forth, or if they study books that are untruthful, is it reasonable to suppose that they will properly teach the Southern youth? We mean to cast no reflections upon the honesty of these faithful men and women, but the fitness of many we call seriously into question. Thousands of our teachers think they know what to teach. They teach what they have been taught. If their knowledge has been secured from partial books, books that misrepresent the motives and actions of our fathers, how can they teach the truth of history? Our teachers more than any

other class should be aroused to the necessity of united effort and patriotic research and labor.

Our work should be brought to the attention of the different State Teachers' Associations, Departments of Education, and Teachers' County Institutes. We recommended in former reports that an address be prepared to be submitted to the different State Teachers' Associations asking for the co-operation of our educators, and that whenever practicable that some member of our Confederation designated by our Commander-in-Chief, or by a department or division commander, present in person the matter to the teachers. We should not be satisfied with bringing this subject to the attention of the State Teachers' Association alone, for, as a matter of fact, only a limited number of the teachers attend these gatherings. Our work should be discussed in every county in the Institutes, and a great history revival commenced that will reach out and profoundly stir the men and women of all our Southern clime. This recommendation we sincerely believe to be one of great merit, but if any address has been delivered in accordance therewith, we have never been advised as to where or when.

Your committee is composed of men engaged in the business of making a living for themselves and families, and judging from the number of letters that some of them write to the chairman, they have but little time for other things. This leads us up to another condition that confronts us. Your committee is trying to accomplish a work the importance of which can hardly be overestimated. We are all patriotic, but we think it nothing but right for the expenses of this committee to be borne by our Confederation. Hitherto the expenses have been defrayed by your chairman individually, with the exception of one year, when stamps and stationery were paid for by the Confederation.

The work done by us since the Memphis reunion has been small as compared to that done in former years. Your chairman did not receive notification of his re-appointment till December, and as he did not care to assume the responsibility of continuing the work for several months after his term of office had expired, he did nothing from the Memphis reunion till December.

It may be of interest to you to know something of the amount of work that your committee has been doing. It has been trying to cover the whole ground and has, therefore, corresponded with Sons, Daughters and Veterans in every State. This correspondence has amounted to more than one thousand letters annually, not counting circulars and reviews sent out by your chairman.

It will take the whole time, talents and energy of some good comrade to direct successfully the work of this committee. Many of us doubtless feel patriotic enough to contribute our whole time, but none of us are able to do so.

Many objectionable books have been eliminated from our schools, but many still remain. In this re-united country which has one pur-

pose, one flag, and one destiny, books that ignore any section of the republic, should receive the condemnation of all good people. We recently examined a school reader. The selections in themselves, were excellent, but everything in it was the product of one small section of our country. Would it not be more in accord with the spirit of 1902, not to impress the mind of the child with the thought that all of the brains, patriotism, scholarship, poetry, romance, and oratory worth putting into his text books come from one section of our common country, when the truth is that good and wise and true men and women live in every protion of our wide domain?

While we realize that our comrades in a number of States have done good work, we cannot refrain from calling your attention once more to the situation in Alabama. In that State the legislature has created a "Department of Archives and History." It is in charge of our accomplished comrade, Thomas M. Owen, and he is doing a glorious work. He receives a salary of \$1,800 per annum, and his whole time is devoted to the Department, collecting reliable data pertaining to Alabama before and during the Civil War and since, for present and future use. Comrade Owen will take pleasure in giving any information concerning his Department to any who may write to him. Mississippi has also established a department of "Archives and History" which is doing a noble work.

We rejoice to know that patriots North and South grow in closer touch and sympathy as the years go by. Each section respects more and more the heroes of the other, and while we should and do appreciate words of kindness and admiration coming from the former foes of our fathers, God grant that the day will never come when as a return for those words of kindness, we will by word or act do anything "to pluck one gem from the blood-stained crown of Dixie."

The joint history committees of three Veterans, three Daughters, and three Sons in each State, should meet occasionally and work in a systematic way. It would be a comparatively easy matter for a committee of nine to divide a State into nine sections and to ascertain what books the children study. Then it would be no trouble to ascertain what they are being taught. The books should be reviewed and unworthy ones condemned and better ones substituted.

When in the not far distant future, the last living Confederate starts on his long, last journey, let us send by him a message to Lee and Jackson, and to glorious old Hampton, who has just left us, that the children of the South are being taught the truth of history.

With malice towards none, with good will and comradeship for our brothers of the North and East and West, let us determine to discharge our sacred duty in handing down the truth to posterity, and let us be as loyal to the stars and stripes as were our fathers to the stars and bars, and contribute our full share towards working out a

glorious destiny for our great nation, the grandest one in all the tide of time.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM F. JONES, Chairman,
BRANT H. KIRK, Acting Chairman,
J. M. HARLE,
JUDSON S. BOSHER,
FRANK B. WILLIAMS,
JAS. A. HOYT, JR.

It was moved by Assistant Adjutant-General Maurin, of Donaldsonville, La., that the report of the Historical Committee be adopted, which motion was duly seconded and was carried by an unanimous vote.

A motion was duly made and carried that the reading of all reports of other standing committees, except the Women's Memorial Committee, be omitted and that these reports be received by the Adjutant-General, filed and printed at length in the minutes.

The Adjutant-General then read a communication from the Commander-in-chief as follows:

COMMUNICATION FROM THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF.

No provision is made in our Constitution for a report by the Commander-in-Chief, but his experience brings before him so many things which are of importance to our Confederation, that he has deemed it wise to present to you some of the facts which he thinks will enable you to legislate for our general good.

The most important thing which he wishes to mention is that our organization should be put upon a thorough business basis. The Commander-in-Chief is required to do too much of the detail work and has no time left for mapping out and attending to the more important matters of his executive office. He should be allowed a salaried clerk, or secretary, of sufficient ability to attend to every thing of a detail nature.

We should have a journal managed by and under the exclusive control of General Headquarters. It should be issued monthly, at least, (weekly, if possible), and made so cheap that it can be sent to every member. As this would save the expense of printing and mailing General Orders, Circulars, etc., a considerable saving would be made in this respect.

Some systematic plan should be adopted by which the organization of new camps can be vigorously pushed. Under present conditions,

it is a severe tax upon the Commander-in-Chief. The Department and Division Commanders, as a rule, do good work; but necessarily they cannot give as much time to it, and being away from General Headquarters, they are not in touch with what has already been done and is being done. To keep them informed would be another burden upon the Commander-in-Chief; and every additional hand through which the work runs adds considerably to the labor, time and expense.

It would be of great assistance to us to employ a representative to travel regularly in the interest of our Confederation. Not only could he organize new camps, but also he could revive those that are inactive, collect dues that are in arrears, secure and collect subscriptions to the Women's Memorial Fund, and other funds, extend the paid circulation of the Confederation journal and generally arouse and stimulate interest in our work. It is unnecessary to state that great care should be exercised in the selection of such a man; but if the right man could be secured, our work would show treble results in one year. To secure proper supervision, the Commander-in-Chief should have absolute power to employ and discharge such agent.

With such a system in vogue, with the concentration of all our funds into the hands of one person, and with proper bonded security from all who handle funds, the business system of our organization would be perfect.

It occurred to the Commander-in-Chief some time ago that it would be highly appropriate for us to adopt a uniform for our Confederation, and that idea was more firmly fixed by requests from many members to the same effect. For that reason, under the power vested in him by the Constitution, he appointed a Committee on Uniform to act upon the matter. The report of that committee has been made public in a General Order, and will be presented to this convention. It is highly appropriate that we should perpetuate the uniform of the Confederacy in our organization, yet add to it some distinctive feature which will prevent our appropriating any of the honors which properly belong to those who wore it in the days of war. The matter is commended to you.

In General Order No. 6, reference was made to the custom recently grown up among us, of giving to our officers military titles, which are the same as those given to Veterans. This is unjust to the gallant men who have earned the right to such titles by arduous service in the field, and it has evoked some criticism from them, as well as from many of our members. The Commander-in-Chief suggests that the custom be discontinued. We owe it to ourselves and to the Veterans to do so.

A great many requests have come to General Headquarters for permission to take in as members men who are of the best material for membership in our order, but who, for no fault of their own or of their fathers, lack the qualification of proper ancestry. These men have

the fire of enthusiasm for our work warmly burning in their hearts and by their eagerness to join us, give an additional proof of their fitness for membership. While we should take in no one whose ancestors failed to show a proper loyalty to the Confederate cause, we should not bar those who, by accident, or the act of Providence, are not within our qualifications. The matter is submitted to you, with the recommendation that some provision be adopted that will be more liberal than what we now have.

It has been suggested by several comrades that the minutes of the Reunion of 1896 and 1897 be printed. They exist now only in written form. The matter is referred to you.

A great many requests have come to General Headquarters for cheap buttons bearing the device of our badge. These have never been authorized, in any manner, and for that reason have never been provided for. A very neat-looking button can be furnished for about ten cents; and at this figure, camps could supply their members, very generally, with them. The present arrangements include only badges costing \$1.50 to \$2 each. The matter is submitted to you for action.

It is earnestly urged that the study of the principal events of the war be encouraged in all ways that are possible. A plan was suggested in General Order No. 4, and it can be easily followed and enlarged upon. There is nothing that will do more to strengthen our organization, or increase our activity, than a thorough knowledge of these facts. Our fathers made a most magnificent record in that conflict, and we should fully understand it, and be prepared to enlighten others as to it, whenever occasion should offer. Many of whom you would least expect it, are amazingly ignorant upon the subject.

The Division of Mississippi, at its Reunion held in Meridian on March 11 and 12, unanimously adopted a resolution to accept a proposition for the sale to it of Beauvoir, the old home of ex-President Davis. This act deserves the most enthusiastic thanks and warmest approbation of our Confederation. It is, by far, the most noteworthy thing that has been accomplished since our organization. It is intended to preserve Beauvoir as a memorial to our devoted leader, and to make it the Mt. Vernon of the Confederacy. This convention should take appropriate action in the premises, both in the way of commendation and of substantial aid to the Division of Mississippi.

Most respectfully submitted,

R. B. HAUGHTON,
Commander-in-Chief.

It was moved by Division Commander Daniel, of Mississippi, that a committee of three be appointed to act upon this communication. Upon suggestion, the mover withdrew this motion and a motion was then made by Comrade W. P. Lane, of Ft. Worth, Tex., that the communication from the Commander-in-chief be referred to the Constitutional Committee. This was duly seconded and carried.

The report of the Committee on Uniform was read, adopted and ordered filed, without discussion.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON UNIFORM.

St. Louis, Mo., February 1, 1902.

R. B. Haughton, Commander-in-Chief,

United Sons of Confederate Veterans:

Your committee, appointed to consider the matter of a uniform for our Confederation, and to make recommendations as to the same, respectfully beg leave to report as follows:

After careful deliberation (and in view of the numerous requests for one) your Committee is of the opinion that a uniform should be adopted, and that it should be one that would, as far as possible, preserve for the information and gratification of our members and their descendants, the uniforms used by the Confederate forces. We know of nothing that would be more appropriate for our organization, or more acceptable to those who wished to preserve the memories of the Confederacy as perfectly as possible.

After having reached that conclusion, the necessity arose for providing some mark that would clearly and fully distinguish our members from those who were Veterans. We believe that our selection will fully accomplish this.

We, therefore, recommend that our organization adopt exactly the same uniform, insignia, trappings, etc., as have already been adopted by the United Confederate Veterans, (which is the same as that used by the Confederate forces), with the following exceptions and additions:

For all members (officers and private), shoulder-straps (one on each shoulder) of white wool cloth, with gold border and the letters "U. S. C. V." in the center; "U. C. V." buttons, or ordinary military buttons without letters (the latter preferred), until buttons stamped "U. S. C. V." can be provided; lettering, wherever it may occur on the uniform, "U S. C. V." instead of "U. C. V."; hat the same as that used

by the U. C. V., or a grey Confederate cap at the option of the camp or wearer.

For Department Commanders, cuffs and collars faced with buff.

For the Commanders-in-Chief, the same uniform as that prescribed for Department Commanders, except without facing on cuffs, or collar.

Having fully performed the duties assigned to it, your committee asks to be discharged. Most respectfully submitted,

H. N. SPENCER, JR., St. Louis, Mo., Chair man,
W. CHRISTY HUTCHINSON, St. Louis, Mo.,
WILLIAM A. BEALL, St. Louis, Mo.,
CHARLES D. MITCHELL, St. Louis, Mo.,
NORMAN L. LINCOLN, St. Louis, Mo.,
Committee.

Comrade Brant H. Kirk moved that a committee be appointed to call on Hon. John H. Reagan, of Texas, ex-Postmaster-General of the Confederate States of America, the only living member of the Confederate cabinet, and request that he honor this convention with an address. This motion was duly seconded and carried and the Commander-in-chief appointed Comrade Brant H. Kirk, Department Commanders E. P. Cox, W. A. Collier and W. D. Buckner and Division Commander W. E. Daniel as such committee.

Comrade H. C. King, of Big Springs, Tex., here made a touching appeal to the chair that provision be made to have the picture of ex-President Davis hung over the rostrum of the convention hall before the arrival of General Reagan. The Commander-in-chief approved of the suggestion and requested that Comrade King act as a committee of one to see the Commandant of the local camp in regard to having this done.

At 5:10 p. m. a motion to adjourn was duly carried and the convention adjourned to Thursday, April 24, at 2 p. m.



L.H. MARREFO, JR.,
INSPECTOR-GENERAL,
NEW-ORLEANS, LA.



STANLEY D. PEARCE,
QUARTERMASTER-GENERAL,
ST. LOUIS, MO.



DR. WALTON S. GREENE,
SURGEON-GENERAL,
ABERDEEN, MISS.



WILLIAM HORNER COCKE,
ADJUTANT-GENERAL AND
CHIEF OF STAFF,
ST. LOUIS, MO.



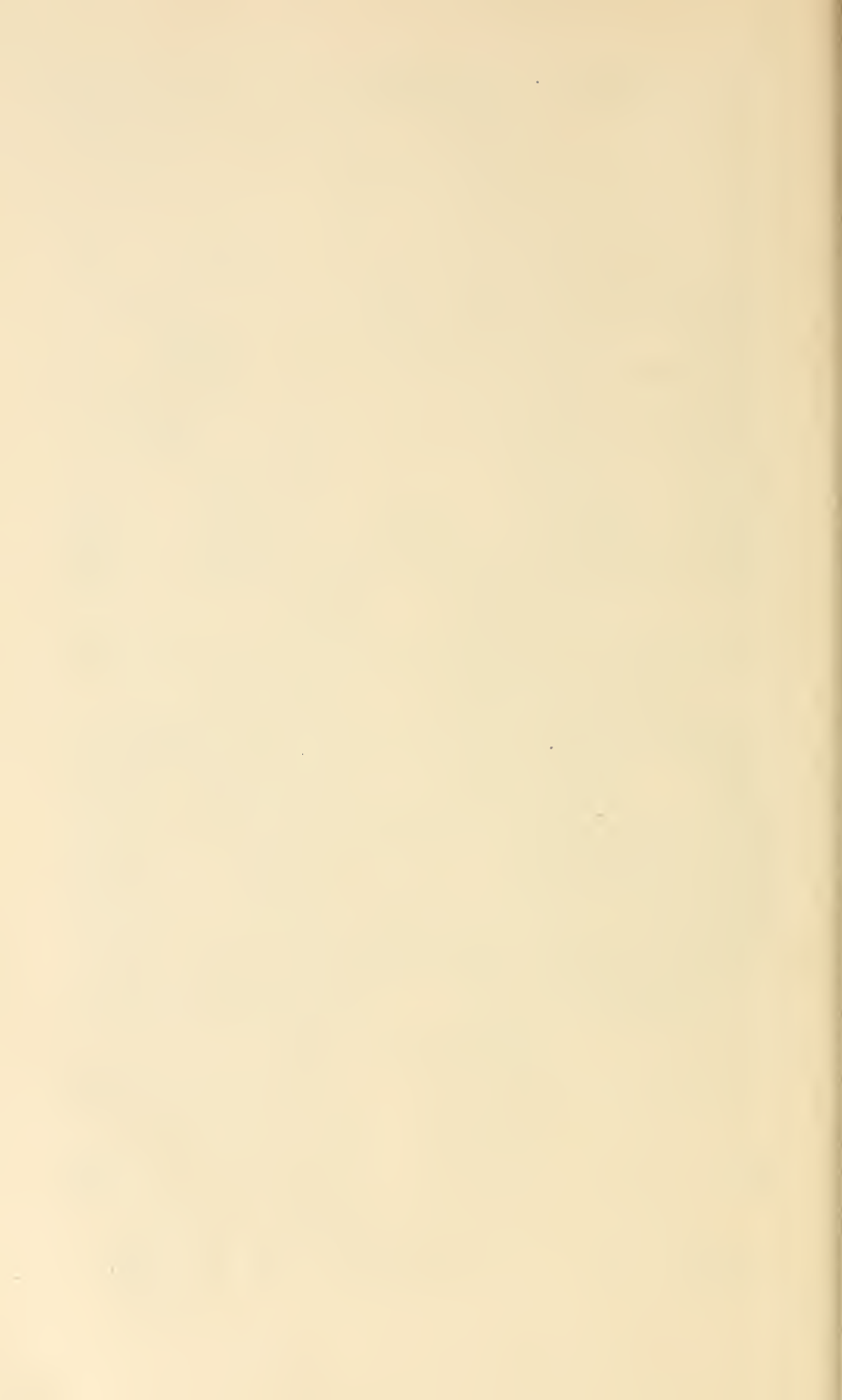
GUSTON T. FITZHUGH,
JUDGE-ADVOCATE-GENERAL,
MEMPHIS, TENN.



J. ELLIOTT RIDDELL,
COMMISSARY-GENERAL,
LOUISVILLE, KY.



REV. CARTER HELM JONES,
CHAPLAIN-GENERAL,
LOUISVILLE, KY.



THURSDAY AFTERNOON, APRIL 24.

The convention was called to order promptly at 2 o'clock by the Commander-in-chief.

The following resolution on the death of General Wade Hampton was presented by that committee and was read and adopted:

RESOLUTION ON THE DEATH OF GENERAL WADE HAMPTON.

Commander and Comrades of the United Sons of Confederate Veterans:

Whereas, It has pleased Almighty God, the Ruler of the Universe, though merciful he be, to remove from our midst and the walks of life, and from the bosom of his family and circle of admirers, one, honored and loved by a whole nation, and especially loved and revered by us, the Sons of the Southland, that soldier, statesman and patriot, General Wade Hampton of South Carolina; therefore, be it

Resolved, By this convention of the United Sons of Confederate Veterans, that inasmuch as the nation has lost one of her noblest statesmen, the South one of her bravest heroes and truest and loyal friends, and his family a kind, tender, ever devoted guardian and protector, brave and true as a Confederate soldier, till the flag was furled, and the sun of the Confederacy went down behind the clouds of defeat; strong, patient, determined and heroic during reconstruction to aid the stricken South, to her resurrection from the ashes of war, and to the end of his eventful and useful life, placing upon the altar of his country all the energies of mind, body and soul, with the devotion of a truly loyal and loving heart, we have just cause to mourn the loss of one so good and great. Our tears are the fragrant offerings of grateful memory of one whom we love and one whose memory we would perpetuate in honor to the coming generations; be it further

Resolved, That in consideration of his valiant services as a statesman, warrior and patriot, that it is fitting and proper that a monument be erected to his memory, that his example may be handed down to posterity; and be it further

Resolved, That the United Sons of Confederate Veterans in national convention assembled, hereby pledge its aid to any movement looking to that end.

Resolved further, That these resolutions be made a part of the minutes of this convention, and that a copy be furnished to the family of deceased.

HOMER D. WADE, Chairman,

WM. H. CLARK,

WALTER B. McADAMS, Committee.

The Commander-in-chief, seeing Miss Florence Barlow, editress of "The Lost Cause," and Rev. J. William Jones, Chaplain-General of the United Confederate Veterans, in the audience, invited them to seats upon the platform, to which they were escorted.

Division Commander Barrow, of Louisiana, arose to announce the presence, with his delegation, of the Governor of Louisiana, the Lieutenant-Governor of Louisiana, the Mayor of New Orleans, and other distinguished men from his State. The Commander-in-chief appointed Division Commander Atkinson of Missouri a committee of one to escort these gentlemen to the platform. The distinguished party were given an ovation as they approached the stage.

The report of the Adjutant-General, as follows, was then read and adopted:

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE ADJUTANT-GENERAL TO THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF AND FOR THE INFORMATION OF THE SEVENTH ANNUAL REUNION OF THE UNITED SONS OF CONFEDERATE VETERANS, AT DALLAS, TEXAS, APRIL 23d, 23d, 24th and 25th, 1902.

I have the honor to submit my report as Adjutant-General and Chief of Staff subsequent to the Sixth Annual Reunion, which ended at Memphis, Tenn., on May 30th, 1901.

Since Commander-in-Chief R. B. Haughton assumed command, the work of organization has been untiringly carried on with the most gratifying results.

This administration had nearly six weeks less time for this work than usual, and that time has been taken from the season of the year that is pregnant with greatest results in the organization of new camps. The location of this General Reunion being far from the center of the territory productive of good results has also militated against the success of his administration in this respect. Reference to the list of new camps organized will show that the number of new camps for the Trans-Mississippi Department, in which the Reunion is being held, is nearly twice as great as that of the two Eastern Department com-

bined, and many of these are in Louisiana, which is very near the location of the Reunion. The total number of new camps organized is eighty-two. During the same months, the next preceding administration, which was by far the most brilliant in the history of the organization, organized sixty-one camps.

The comparison of the two administrations by months is as follows:

	1900-01	1901-02
June	3	0
July	1	4
August	3	4
September	5	4
October	3	3
November	5	2
December	4	1
January	2	3
February	5	5
March	11	21
April	19	35
May	50	..
Total	111	82

Total number before the administration of Commander-in-Chief

Hindman 172

Total number by Commander-in-Chief Hindman 111

Total number by Commander-in-Chief R. B. Haughton..... 82

The progress of the Confederation in the organization of new camps during the past year, as shown by Departments and Divisions, is as follows:

Department of the Army of Northern Virginia..6
Department of the Army of Tennessee...25
Trans-Mississippi Department 51
82

Division of Virginia	2
Division of West Virginia	3
Division of District of Columbia	1
Division of Georgia	1
Division of Alabama	7
Division of Tennessee	5
Division of Mississippi	2
Division of Louisiana	10
Division of Arkansas	2
Division of Texas	34
Division of Missouri	7
Division of Indian Territory	7
California	1
	82

The total number of new camps organized is eighty-two, with a total membership of about three thousand. A complete list of camps organized during this administration is appended to this report.

Many old camps have greatly increased their membership. Noteworthy in this respect are the Camps in the Division of Texas. Besides others, R. E. Lee Camp, No. 239, of Fort Worth, increased its membership from 90 to 1,052; W. L. Cabell Camp, No. 49, of Dallas, from 58 to 685, and Sul Ross Camp, No. 129, of Waco, from 110 to 235. Many other Texas Camps showed great increases. The results for the year in the Division of Texas are magnificent, speaking volumes for the efforts of the Commander-in-Chief and the Division Commander of Texas. N. B. Forrest Camp, No. 215, of Memphis, Tenn., shows a substantial growth, and now has 563 members.

Total number of new members by such increases is about 2,000.

The efforts of the Commander-in-Chief have not been limited to States in which Camps were already organized. California, Connecticut, Massachusetts, Ohio, Illinois, New York, Maryland, Montana, Kansas, and other States have been worked with vigor, and many show promising results. A large Camp has been organized in Los Angeles, California, and organization is progressing in other States, notably at Brookline, Mass., and Hartford, Conn.

Very little progress has been made in the Army of Northern Virginia Department. Only six new Camps have been organized in that Department, and a great many of the Camps there are in arrears in their per capita tax. This is probably due to the remoteness of that Department from General Headquarters, and the place of the General Reunion. Such matters have great influence upon the activity of Camps.

In the organization of new camps, Division Commanders Thomas P. Stone, of Texas, W. M. Barrow, of Louisiana, W. H. Kearfott, of West Virginia, Warwick H. Payne, of Alabama, and J. C. Graham, of the Indian Territory, have been especially active and have rendered the Commander-in-Chief great assistance.

The following Comrades, in addition to the Division Commanders mentioned, have rendered valuable aid to the Commander-in-Chief in the work of organizing new Camps:

W. McL. Fayssoux of New Orleans, former Division Commander of Louisiana.

Edmund D. Maurin, Assistant Adjutant-General, Donaldsonville, La.
Homer L. Higgs, Assistant Adjutant-General, Greenfield, Tenn.

Hon. William H. Clark, Assistant Adjutant-General, Dallas, Tex.

Rev. W. T. Allan, D. D., Assistant Chaplain-General, Sedalia,

Mo

Thomas E. Powe, Aide, St. Louis, Mo.

J. S. Kelley, Poplar Bluff, Mo.

Thomas M. Owen, Montgomery, Ala.

Commandant J. M. Harle, Morristown, Tenn.

R. E. Lee Bynum, Brigade Commander, Jackson, Tenn.

Owing to the fact that the Commander-in-Chief has had no paid assistant, he has been compelled to give his personal supervision to nearly all of the correspondence of the Confederation. His efforts have been directed toward conducting its affairs with as little expense as possible, and in consequence of this, the close of the administration shows the financial affairs of the Confederation to be in a most flattering condition.

The Quartermaster-General's report shows that there is nearly fifty per cent more money on hand now than there was on hand at the corresponding time last year, and that year very far surpassed all previous years. At the close of the last administration a balance of \$671.93 was turned over to us, to which has been added receipts from all sources, amounting to \$1,235.62, making the total amount of receipts \$1,907.55, as against \$1,370.30 for last year.

The total expense incurred in the conduct of the business was \$1,005.55, leaving a balance of \$902 to the credit of the Confederation, as against \$671.93 last year.

Nothing but the assumption, on the part of the Commander-in-Chief of a tremendous amount of detail work and personal expense, and the most persistent and energetic work along all lines, could have enabled the Confederation to have such a gratifying financial report.

Total balances for first four years....	\$532.79
Balance for fifth year	671.93
Balance for this (sixth) year	902.00

On December 19th, 1901, upon the recommendation of Edwin P. Cox, Esq., Department Commander, the Division of the District of Columbia, was organized, and Thomas Raleigh Raines, of Washington, was appointed Division Commander.

In concluding my report, it is a pleasure to testify to the uniform courtesy shown by the Department and Division Commanders and Comrades generally, in my correspondence with them. I desire to congratulate the Commander-in-Chief and the Confederation upon the gratifying results of the labors of this administration.

Respectfully submitted, I am, your obedient servant,

WILLIAM HORNER COCKE,
Adjutant-General and Chief of Staff.

LIST OF CAMPS ORGANIZED DURING THE YEAR 1901-1902.

<i>No.</i>	<i>Name of Camp.</i>	<i>Location.</i>	<i>Membership.</i>
291	Bouanchaud	New Roads, La	49
292	Jno. H. Reagan	Snyder, Tex.	48
293	Sterling Price	Poplar Bluffs, Mo.	43
294	Pat Cleburne	Van Buren, Ark.	46
295	R. K. Boyd	Albertville, Ala	14
296	Morgan	Hartselle, Ala.	40
297	A. A. Dysart	Lewisburg, Tenn.	16
298	Robt. McCulloch	Boonville, Mo.	17
299	H. B. Granbury	Hico, Tex.	62
300	Calvin Crozier	Wills Point, Tex.	35
301	Sam Davis	Hearne, Tex.	37
302	Weightman	Lexington, Mo.	41
303	R. E. Lee	Luling, La.	19
304	C. R. Irving	Amelia Court House, Va.	21
305	Anselm J. McLaurin	Washington, D. C.	33
306	Troupe Randle	Union Springs, Ala.	35
307	Pelham	Eutaw, Ala.	17
308	A. C. Kincaid	Summerville, W. Va.	11
309	J. H. Hammer	West, Tex.	30
310	Jubal A. Early	Bluefield, W. Va.	25
311	W. W. Merritt	McKinney, Tex.	52
312	Stonewall Jackson	Holliday, Tex.	70
313	Stonewall Jackson	Athens, Tex.	24
314	Ector	Marshall, Tex.	62
315	Joe Wheeler	Canadian, I. T.	45
316	Pertwood	Peerless, Tex.	19
317	James W. Thompson	Summit Point, W. Va.	26
318	A. T. Gray	Graham Tex.	32
319	A. J. Vaughan	La Grange, Tenn.	10
320	Gabe Whorton	Baird, Tex.	10
321	Corinth	Corinth, Miss.	35
322	Henry Gray	Coushatta, La.	68
323	Nathan Bedford Forest	Greenfield, Tenn.	10
324	Stonewall Jackson	Mulberry, Ark.	23
325	Dick Taylor	Mansfield, La.	37
326	J. E. B. Stuart	New Port News, Va.	48
327	Thos. G. Connelly	McGregor, Tex.	76
328	Stonewall Jackson	Pilot Point, Tex.	37
329	Sul Ross	Kaufman, Tex.	127
330	Albert Sidney Johnson	Big Springs, Tex.	36
331	J. B. Evans	Cundiff, Tex.	22
332	Coalgate	Coalgate, I. T.	20

<i>No.</i>	<i>Name of Camp.</i>	<i>Location.</i>	<i>Membership.</i>
333	Stonewall Jackson	Durant, I. T.	52
334	J. E. B. Stuart	Mabank, Tex.	25
335	Los Angeles	Los Angeles, Cal.	36
336	Vernon	Vernon, Tex.	18
337	Gen. Jno. M. Taylor	Scotts Hill, Tenn.	17
338	N. B. Forrest	Bolivar, Tenn.	45
339	J. W. Throcmorton	Wylie, Tex.	15
340	B. J. Abbott	Okolona, Miss.	22
341	Cooper	Caddo, I. T.	39
342	Joe Wheeler	Clinton, La.	15
343	Pelham	Montezuma, Ga.	30
344	W. G. Boyd	Donaldsonville, La.	75
345	J. C. Rogers	Cameron, Tex.	43
346	Francis M. Cockrell	East Prairie, Mo.	10
347	Jno. H. Reagan	Lancaster, Tex.	40
348	Bedford Forrest	Coalhoma, Tex.	14
349	Terry's Rangers	El Paso, Tex.	30
350	Erath County	Stephenville, Tex.	35
351	J. Wm. Brown	Longview, Tex.	24
352	Rea	Lake Providence, La.	11
353	Stonewall Jackson	Sedalia, Mo.	16
354	D. C. Carrington	Jewett, Tex.	20
355	B. T. Estes	Texarkana, Tex.	23
356	Stonewall Jackson	Garland, Tex.	39
357	Joe Shelby	Doniphan, Mo.	30
358	Leroy Stafford	Alexandria, La.	52
359	J. L. Halbert	Corsicana, Tex.	36
360	Kansas City	Kansas City, Mo.	13
361	Attalla	Attalla, Ala.	37
362	Albert Sidney Johnson	Duncan, I. T.	26
363	Larry Nicholls	Gonzales, La.	17
364	Jno. H. Morgan	Clarendon, Tex.	50
365	Tom Green	Lewisville Tex.	27
366	Abilene	Abilene, Tex.	16
367	Stonewall Jackson	Gibbsland, La.	14
368	Edmund W. Pettus	Selma, Ala.	79
369	Sul Ross	Nocoma, Tex.	55
370	Frank Cockrell	Muscogee, I. T.	10
371	Jeff Davis	Chicota, I. T.	11
372	Thomas H. Watts	Forrest Home, Ala.	11

-Total number of new camps, 82. Total number of new members in them, 2,710.

Number of new members by increases in old camps about 2,000.

Comrade Brant H. Kirk, of Waco, Tex., moved that the convention endorse the administration of Commander-in-chief Haughton by a rising vote. The motion was put by the Adjutant-General and was unanimously carried amid enthusiastic shouts of "Haughton," "Haughton," and continued applause. The Commander-in-chief made an appropriate speech of thanks in reply.

The Commander-in-chief stated that he was ably assisted in the discharge of his manifold and arduous duties by the loyalty, ability and energy of the Adjutant-General and he now publicly expressed his sincere thanks for the same. Upon motion of Comrade H. C. King a vote of thanks was extended to the Adjutant-General for the efficient manner in which he had discharged the duties of his office.

At this juncture the Commander-in-chief announced to the convention that our charming Sponsor-in-chief, with her Maids of Honor and Chaperon, was in the hall. Upon motion, the chair appointed a committee to escort the ladies to the platform. They were received with loud and appreciative applause by the delegates. After they were seated, it was moved that the convention give three cheers for the party. The motion was carried with a will and the delegates rose and cheered them enthusiastically.

The Commander-in-chief then called on the Constitutional Committee for its report. In the absence of C. H. Fauntleroy, Esq., chairman, Thomas E. Powe, of St. Louis, chairman pro tem, presented the report, which is in full as follows:

REPORT OF THE CONSTITUTIONAL COMMITTEE.

Report of the Constitutional Committee, being the presentation of a complete Constitution as revised by it.

PREAMBLE.

Believing that a general Confederation of all constituted organizations of Sons of Confederate Veterans will assist in the accomplishment of the cherished purposes that each body is singly laboring to carry out, and to more firmly establish the ties which already exist between them and the United Confederate Veterans and Veteran Camps:

We, the representatives of the Camps, in convention as-



MISS NANNIE PULLIAM,
SPONSOR FOR INDIAN TERR.,
ARDMORE, I.T.



MISS ANASTASIA PICKETT,
MAID OF HONOR FOR ALABAMA,
UNION SPRINGS, ALA.



MISS LUCY POWELL RANDLE,
SPONSOR FOR ALABAMA,
UNION SPRINGS, ALA.



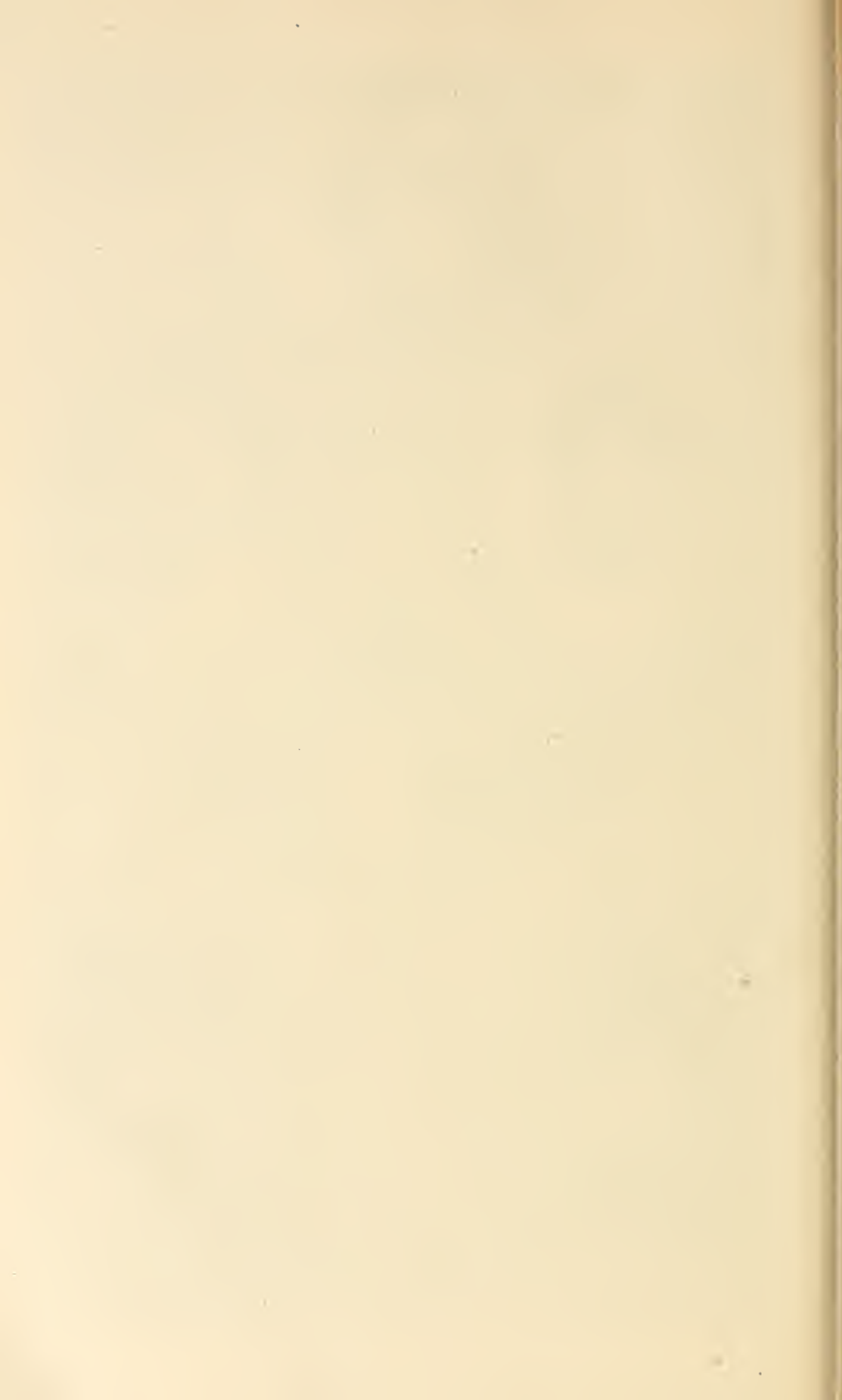
MISS MARGARET WILKINSON,
SPONSOR FOR MISSOURI,
ST. LOUIS, MO.



MISS HÉLOÏSE SIMS,
MAID OF HONOR FOR LOUISIANA,
DONALDSONVILLE, LA.



MISS MARGARET ALLISON,
SPONSOR FOR LOUISIANA,
LAKE CHARLES, LA.



sembled, at Richmond, Virginia, on this first day of July, 1896, do adopt, ordain and establish the following constitution:

(Revised and adopted at the Seventh Annual Re-union, held at Dallas, Tex., April 22-25, 1902.

ARTICLE I.

TITLE.

Sec. 1.—This Confederation of Sons of Confederate Veterans shall be known as the UNITED SONS OF CONFEDERATE VETERANS.

ARTICLE II.

OBJECTS.

Sec. 2.—The objects and purposes of this Organization shall be strictly "Historical and Benevolent." It will strive:

Sec. 3.—To unite in one general Confederation all Associations of Sons of Confederate Veterans, Soldiers, and Sailors, now in existence, or hereafter to be formed, and to aid and assist the United Confederate Veterans and all Veteran Camps.

Sec. 4.—To cultivate the ties of friendship that should exist among those whose ancestors have shared common dangers, sufferings and privations.

Sec. 5.—To encourage the writing by participants therein, of accounts, narratives, memoirs, histories of battles, episodes and occurrences of the war between the States.

Sec. 6.—To gather authentic data, statistics, documents, reports, plans, maps and other material for an impartial history of the Confederate side; to collect and preserve relics and mementoes of the war; to make and perpetuate a record of the service of every member of the United Confederate Veterans, and all other living Confederate Veterans, and, as far as possible, of those of their comrades who have preceded them into eternity.

Sec. 7.—To see that the disabled are cared for; that a helping hand is extended to the needy, and that needy Confederate Veterans' widows and orphans are protected and assisted.

Sec. 8.—To urge and aid the erection of enduring monuments to our great leaders and heroic soldiers, sailors, and people, and to mark with suitable headstones the graves of Confederate dead wherever found.

Sec. 9.—To instill into our descendants a proper veneration for the spirit and the glory of our fathers, and to bring them into association with our Confederation, that they may aid us in accomplishing our objects and purposes, and finally succeed us and take up our work where we may leave it.

ARTICLE III. ORGANIZATION.

Sec. 10.—The several constituted bodies of this Confederation shall be as follows:

First.—Of organizations, known as Camps; each Camp to have a name, and be assigned a number in the order in which it is admitted into this Confederation.

Second.—Of sub-divisions of States to be known as Brigades.

Third.—Of State Organizations to be known as Divisions.

Fourth.—Of Organizations of States to be known as Departments.

ARTICLE IV. MEMBERSHIP.

Sec. 11.—First.—All male descendants of those who served in the Confederate Army or Navy, and were released from such service in an honorable manner.

Second.—All male descendants of women who rendered aid, or comfort, to the Confederate forces.

Third.—All nephews and male first cousins, of those mentioned in clauses 1 and 2, provided, there was a good and honorable reason for their direct male ancestors not having been in the Confederate Army or Navy.

Fourth.—All male descendants of those mentioned in clause 3.

Fifth.—All male descendants of men who, not having enlisted in the Confederate Army or Navy, were employed by the Confederate Government and served it in some other important capacity, or were retained out of such service by their respective state, or municipal, authorities, and rendered service to such state, or municipal government which prevented service in the land or naval forces of the Confederate Government;

Shall be eligible for membership in this Confederation; provided, no member under the age of 16 shall have the right to vote, and no one under the age of 12 shall be admitted.

Sec. 12.—Every Camp shall exact satisfactory proof of the requisite qualifications from each applicant and secure a copy of the ancestor's record, in writing, for preservation. All applicants, except those included in clauses 1 and 2, must furnish complete and satisfactory reasons why their ancestors did not enlist. Camps and officers are required to make careful examination in all such cases, and to exclude those concerning whom there is any substantial doubt.

ARTICLE V.

OFFICERS—ELECTION—TERM OF OFFICE.

Sec. 13.—The officers of this Confederation shall be one (1) Commander-in-Chief, its Supreme Executive head; three (3) Department Commanders, who shall command and be executive heads of the Departments; Division Commanders, who shall command and be executive heads of the Divisions; Brigade Commanders, who shall be in charge of Brigades.

Sec. 14.—The Commander-in-Chief and Department Commanders shall be elected by the delegates at the Re-union of the Confederation, a majority of the votes cast to elect.

Sec. 15.—The Division Commanders and Brigade Commanders shall be elected by the delegates from the Camps within their respective commands, at a convention held at such time and place, and under the supervision of such officers as the Department Commander within which the State or Territory is located may direct; provided, however, that when a Division or Brigade has been once organized its elections shall be held in such manner, and at such time and place as has been determined at its last Annual Convention by its delegates.

Sec. 16.—In case a Division which has elected a Division Commander shall fail to hold an annual reunion, or to elect a successor in case the reunion is held, a vacancy shall be deemed to exist which may be filled in like manner as other vacancies.

Sec. 17.—General, Department, Division, and Brigade Officers shall be elected by ballot, and shall assume command at the close of the convention at which they were elected. The retiring officer shall remain in command until every function of that reunion is discharged.

Sec. 18. All officers shall be elected or appointed for one year, and until their successors assume command.

Sec. 19.—Vacancies occurring among officers shall be filled until the next Annual Re-union, by the Commander-in-Chief, upon the recommendation of the Division or Department in which it occurs.

Sec. 20.—Each Commander-in-Chief who has served a full term and does not continue to hold the office shall have the title of Past Commander-in-Chief, shall be a member, ex-officio, of all Annual Re-unions, and entitled to all the rights and privileges of a full member thereof, and shall take rank in the parade and in all other respects next to the Commander-in-Chief. He shall be entitled to wear the uniform of a Commander-in-Chief, with the additions of the letter "P" before the wreaths and the letter "C" after them. Those who shall not have served a full term may have these privileges conferred on them by motion, receiving four-fifths of the votes cast at any General Re-union.

STAFF OFFICERS.

Sec. 21.—Staff Officers shall be appointed by the different Commanders to serve during such Commanders' office or pleasure. No Staff Officers shall be at the same time a Staff Officer of a Brigade or Division or hold two Staff Offices.

Sec. 22.—The Staff of the Commander-in-Chief shall be as follows: One Adjutant-General, Chief of Staff, one Inspector-General, one Quartermaster-General, one Commissary-General, one Judge-Advocate-General, one Surgeon-General, one Chaplain-General, and such assistants and aides as in his judgment may be necessary.

Sec. 23.—Department Staff.—Department Commanders shall be allowed the same regular Staff as the Commander-in-Chief, and such assistants and aides as they may deem necessary, but they shall be known as Department Adjutant, Department Inspector, Department Quartermaster, Department Commissary, etc., etc.

Sec. 24.—Division Staff.—Division Commanders shall be allowed the same regular Staff as the Department Commander, but they shall be known as Division Adjutant, Division Inspector, etc., etc.

Sec. 25.—Brigade Staff.—Brigade Commanders shall be allowed one Brigade Adjutant, one Brigade Inspector, and one Brigade Quartermaster as their Staff.

Sec. 26.—No one can be elected or appointed an officer of this Confederation, or its Subordinate Departments, Divis-

ions or Brigades, or their Staff, unless he be a member of one of its Camps.

ARTICLE VI.

DUTIES OF OFFICERS—COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF.

Sec. 27.—The Commander-in-Chief shall be the head of this Confederation, and shall enforce its Constitution, Rules and Regulations, and the will of its Annual Re-union, and to this effect he may issue all necessary orders. He shall preside over the Annual Re-union of the UNITED SONS OF CONFEDERATE VETERANS, and shall decide all questions of law, order or usage. He shall be empowered to act for the good of the Confederation, as circumstances, in his judgment, may require, in cases not provided for by this Constitution; subject in all such decisions and acts to appeal to the Annual Reunion. Immediately after entering upon his office, he shall appoint his Staff and all other General Officers and Committees not otherwise provided for, and may remove these Officers and Committees at his pleasure. During the interim between Re-unions he shall have full charge of the conduct of the affairs of the Confederation, amenable in all cases to the next Re-union.

DEPARTMENT COMMANDERS.

Sec. 28.—The Department Commanders shall command Departments. They shall assist the Commander-in-Chief by counsel or otherwise, and in his absence or disability they shall fill his office according to seniority in office. They shall encourage the enrollment into Camps of all Sons of Veterans of the Confederacy, in their Departments; supervise the work of their Divisions, and see to the enforcement of all orders from General Headquarters; and send annual reports to the Commander-in-Chief one month before the Annual Re-union. They shall appoint their Staff immediately after entering upon their office.

DIVISION COMMANDERS.

Sec. 29.—Division Commanders shall command Divisions, each State and Territory forming but one Division. They shall apply themselves to fully organize their States or Territories into Camps; they shall be careful to have all the requirements of the Constitution strictly complied with in the formation of Camps, and be intermediary in their relations with General and Department Headquarters, and see to the execution of all orders received therefrom; assist the Department Commanders by counsel or otherwise,

and in their absence or disability fill their office until the next Annual Re-union, according to seniority in office. They shall appoint their Staff immediately after entering upon the duties of their offices.

BRIGADE COMMANDERS.

Sec. 30.—Brigade Commanders shall command the Brigades, into which it may be found necessary to divide a Division. They shall be under the Division Commander and assist him in organizing the Division; see to the execution of all orders received through him according to seniority in office. They shall be intermediary between the Division Commander and the Camps of their Brigades, and vice versa. They shall appoint their Staff immediately after entering upon the duties of their office, and shall be allowed as many Aides as they may deem necessary to facilitate the formation of Camps in their territory.

STAFF OFFICERS.

Sec. 31.—The Adjutant-General shall be Chief of Staff of the Commander-in-Chief. He shall keep correct records of the proceedings of the General Headquarters, and the Annual Re-unions; a roster of the Department, Division, Brigades and Camp Officers, and a roll of the Camps; conduct the correspondence of the Confederation and issue the necessary orders under the direction of the Commander-in-Chief; be the keeper of the seal of the Confederation, and issue under it all certificates of membership commissions and documents; draw requisitions for funds on the Quartermaster-General, to be approved by the Commander-in-Chief, and perform such other duties, and keep such other books and records as the Commander-in-Chief may require.

He shall make an annual report to the Commander-in-Chief, showing the work performed by his office and the conditions of the Confederation.

Sec. 32.—The Quartermaster-General shall hold the funds and vouchers of the Confederation; pay all warrants drawn on him by the Adjutant-General, and approved by the Commander-in-Chief; have charge of all arrangements and expenses for accommodation of General Headquarters at the Annual Re-unions; and facilitate the transportation by railroads of delegates to the meetings of the Confederation.

Sec. 33.—The Inspector-General shall prescribe the form of blanks to be used for the inspection of Camps, and, with the approval of the Commander-in-Chief, give such

special instructions as may be deemed necessary; prepare an abstract of the reports received from Departments for the information of the Commander-in-Chief, and present a report to the Annual Re-union. He shall have charge of all investigations ordered for infractions of the Constitution by the Camps, or for conduct of any Camp or individual referred to him by the Commander-in-Chief.

Sec. 34.—The Surgeon-General shall perform the duties properly appertaining to his office, and present at the Annual Re-union a report or paper on matters relating to the medical and surgical branch of the Confederate Service.

Sec. 35.—The Commissary-General shall attend to any duties the Commander-in-Chief may impose upon him, and he shall, at the Annual Re-union, present a written report or paper on matters relating to the commissariat of the Confederate Army.

Sec. 36.—The Chaplain-General shall open and close with prayer the Annual Re-unions and other meetings, and perform such duties in connection with his office as the Commander-in-Chief may require. He shall present at the Annual Re-union a written report or paper upon the matters relating to this branch of the Confederate Service.

Sec. 37.—The Judge-Advocate-General shall perform the duties appertaining to that office, and give all legal advice that may be required of him by the Commander-in-Chief. He shall present at the Annual Re-union a report and paper on the history of his department of the Confederate Service.

SUBORDINATE STAFFS.

Sec. 38.—The Subordinate Staffs shall perform in their respective spheres the duties of their offices, in conformity with the regulations imposed on the General Staff, as far as they can be applied.

ARTICLE VII.

CAMPS.

Sec. 39.—Camps may be formed with not less than ten (10) charter members.

Sec. 40.—Applications by Camps for membership in the Confederation shall be made to the Commander-in-Chief, upon blanks furnished by the General Headquarters.

Sec. 41.—When the Constitution and Roll of Members of the applying Camp have been examined and found to be correct, and when the application is accompanied by the

membership fee and the per capita tax, the Camp shall be admitted, and a certificate of membership issued to it, signed by the Commander-in-Chief and the Adjutant-General.

Sec. 42.—Provided, also, that Camps may be formed with fewer than ten members, but not less than five (5) members, in remote and sparsely settled localities, or in places outside of the former Confederate States, and admitted into the Confederation, by order of the Commander-in-Chief, upon proper application and recommendation of subordinate officers, and after compliance with all other requisites of membership, and after such other investigation into the circumstances of this reduced membership as the Commander-in-Chief may deem fit to institute through the Inspector-General; but no more Camps will be allowed in the same locality until the one thus admitted has attained the number of twenty members.

Sec. 43.—All Camps will be permitted to retain their local and State organizations, and beyond the requirements of this Constitution, they shall have full enjoyment of the right to govern themselves; provided, they shall always be subject to this Constitution and Amendments thereof. Camps are referred to the annexed form for guidance in adopting a suitable Constitution.

Sec. 44.—Camp Officers shall have their duties defined by the Constitution of the Camps that create them, provided the duties so defined be not in conflict with the provisions of this Constitution.

ARTICLE VIII.

DEPARTMENTS AND DIVISIONS.

Sec. 45.—The Camps shall be organized by Departments, Divisions and Brigades.

Sec. 46.—There shall be three Departments, to be called: Army of Northern Virginia Department, Army of Tennessee Department, Trans-Mississippi Department.

Sec. 47.—The Army of Northern Virginia Department shall include and be formed of the States of Virginia, Maryland, West Virginia, North and South Carolina and Kentucky.

Sec. 48.—The Army of Tennessee Department shall include and be formed of the States of Georgia, Alabama, Tennessee, Mississippi, Louisiana and Florida.



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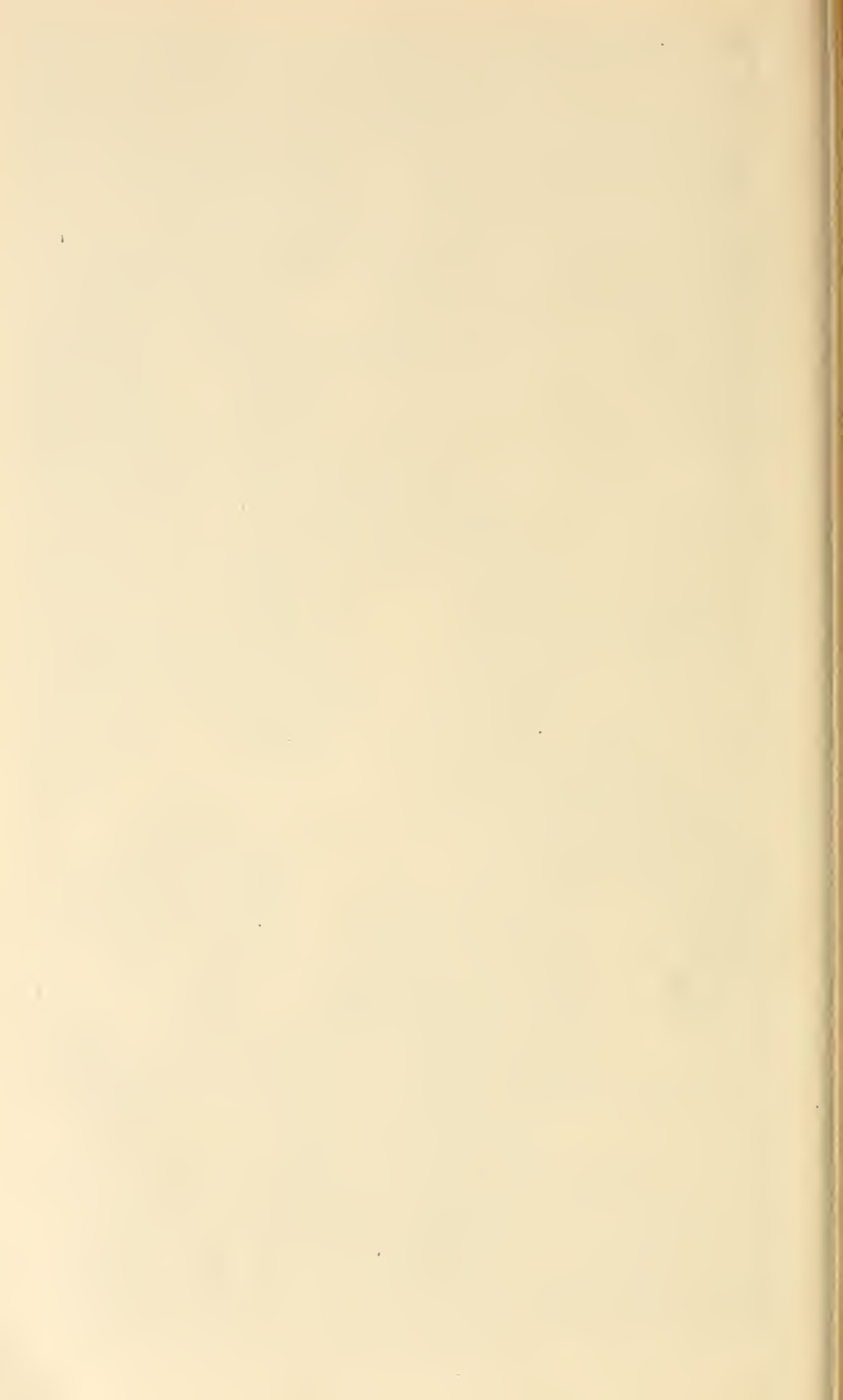
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Sec. 49.—The Trans-Mississippi Department shall include and be formed of the States of Arkansas, Texas and Missouri, and the Indian Territory.

Sec. 50.—Divisions and Camps not hereinbefore mentioned shall be a part of and under the control of Departments, as follows: Those located east of the State of Ohio and north of the State of Virginia, of the Army of Northern Virginia Department; those located west of the Mississippi River, of the Trans-Mississippi Department, and all others of the Army of Tennessee Department.

Sec. 51.—Each and every State and Territory having within its boundaries five (5) or more Camps regularly organized and chartered, shall constitute a Division, and no State or Territory shall have more than one Division within its boundaries.

Sec. 52.—Camps in States or Territories where there are less than five (5) Camps, shall report directly to the Department Commander, upon whose recommendation such Camps may be formed into a Division by the Commander-in-Chief appointing a Division Commander, until they attain the required number of Camps to entitle them to organize themselves.

Sec. 53.—Each Division shall be sub-divided by counties, or other convenient sub-divisions, into as many Brigades as shall be deemed advisable by the Division Convention.

ARTICLE IX.

MEETINGS.

Sec. 54.—There shall be held annually a Re-union of the Confederation at the same time and place as the "United Confederate Veterans." Each Division shall likewise have an Annual Re-union.

Sec. 55.—The Commander-in-Chief, at the request of a majority of the Camps, shall convene the Confederation in special meeting, and may do so upon his own motion if he deems the emergency sufficient. Special meetings of Divisions shall likewise be called by the Division Commander at the request of a majority of the Camps of their Divisions or in any emergency which he may deem sufficient.

Sec. 56.—At all meetings delegates shall address each other as "Comrades."

Sec. 57.—The Annual Convention or Re-union shall be called to order by the Commander of the Camp where the meeting is held. After prayer, by the Chaplain-General

(or in his absence the ranking chaplain), and the address of welcome, it shall be turned over to the commanding officers in turn to the Commander-in-Chief, who will take charge of the Re-union, and instruct the Adjutant-General to call the roll of General Officers of the Confederation, and of its Camps in numerical order. As the Camps are called, the chairman of each delegation will answer and hand to the Adjutant-General the credentials of his delegation.

The Commander-in-Chief shall then appoint a Committee on Credentials, to whom shall be referred all the credentials of delegates. This committee shall verify these by report of Adjutant-General; arrange the roll of the Convention and assign each Camp its number of votes. This report shall be signed by the committee and handed to the Commander-in-Chief. After the approval of this the meeting shall proceed to business on the basis fixed therein.

Sec. 58.—Every comrade in this Confederation in good standing, and every Confederate Veteran in good standing, will be privileged to attend the meetings of any organization belonging to the UNITED SONS OF CONFEDERATE VETERANS, and receive that fraternal consideration they are designed to foster.

ARTICLE X.

REPRESENTATION—DELEGATES, PROXIES, VOTING.

Sec. 59.—The representation of the various Camps at the Annual Re-union, General, Department, Division and Brigade, shall be by delegates as follows: one delegate for every ten (10) active members in good standing in the Camp, and one additional for a fraction thereof of five (5) or more; provided, that every Camp in good standing shall be entitled to at least two (2) delegates. All delegates must have credentials signed by the Commandant and Adjutant of their respective Camps, attached to which shall be the certificate issued by the Adjutant-General, in accordance with Section 60, or they can not be recognized; provided, Divisions may fix their internal representation.

Sec. 60.—The Adjutant-General shall send out blank muster rolls to the various Camps at least sixty days before the Annual Re-union. These blanks shall be filled out by the Adjutant of each Camp and certified to, as the correct roll of the Camp, and returned to the Adjutant-General before the first day of the month next preceding the Annual Re-union. Upon this certified roll will be computed the Camp's representation at the Annual Re-union, and a certificate issued

to the Camp, signed by the Adjutant-General, certifying to the number of votes to which it is entitled, if the dues have been paid in full.

Sec. 61.—On enumerating active members of Camps for representation, none shall be counted who are already thus enumerated in another Camp of the Confederation. Membership in more than one Camp is not forbidden, but no comrade shall be borne on the rolls of more than one Camp for the purpose of enumeration and representation. When a comrade is a member of more than one Camp, he shall elect in which one he will be enrolled for representation.

Sec. 62.—The Commander-in-Chief, Department, Division, and Brigade Commanders and their Adjutants, shall be ex-officio members of the Annual Re-unions.

Sec. 63.—Camps will not be allowed representation unless their per capita tax shall have been paid the Adjutant-General, in full, as required by this Constitution. (Sections 60, 63, 83 and 102.

Sec. 64.—No representation by proxies or members of other Camps shall be allowed at any meetings of this Confederation, or its sub-divisions.

ARTICLE XI.

VOTING.

Sec. 65.—In all questions submitted to the meeting, the Chair shall put the question for a viva voce vote. If the roll of Camps shall be called for, then the Camps shall be called in order, the number of votes each is entitled to stated, and the vote for and against the motion announced by the chairman of each delegation.

Sec. 66.—Balloting shall be by Camps; the chairman of the delegation depositing the written ballots for the Camp, where written ballots are required. In balloting for officers, a majority of all votes cast shall be necessary to a choice. Officers may be voted for viva voce, unless twenty-five votes or one-third of the votes present demand a written ballot.

Sec. 67.—Each Department and Division shall have two votes in all cases. Said votes may be cast by the respective Commanders, if present, if not, by the oldest Camp in the Department, or Division (as the case may be), having a delegate present. Past Commanders-in-Chief shall have one vote each in all cases.

Sec. 68.—When there is but one candidate for an office, upon motion, and by unanimous consent, a formal ballot can be dispensed with, and the candidate be elected by acclamation.

Sec. 69.—The ayes and nays may be required and entered upon record at the call of any three delegates from different Camps.

ARTICLE XII.

UNIFORM, SEAL, BADGES, MEMORIAL DAY, ETC.

Sec. 70.—The following uniform is hereby adopted for this Confederation: The same uniform, insignia, trappings, etc., as have been adopted by the United Confederate Veterans, with the following exceptions and additions, to-wit: For all members (officers and privates), shoulder-straps (one on each shoulder) of white wool cloth, with gold border, and the letters "U. S. C. V." in the center; lettering, wherever it may occur on the uniform (including buttons and trappings) "U. S. C. V." instead of "U. C. V.;" and hat the same as that used by the U. C. V., or a grey Confederate cap, at the option of the Camp, or wearer; for Department Commanders, cuffs and collars faced with buff; and for the Commander-in-Chief the same uniform as that prescribed for Department Commanders, except without facing on cuffs or collar.

For a full description of the uniform, etc., adopted by the United Confederate Veterans reference is made to the annexed appendix, which is hereby made a part hereof.

Sec. 71.—The Seal of this Confederation shall be a medal of the same dimensions as that of the "United Confederate Veterans," reproducing the great seal of the Confederate States of America, bearing "UNITED SONS OF CONFEDERATE VETERANS, Richmond, Va., July 1, 1896," inscribed between the wreath and margin; it shall be kept in the custody of the Adjutant-General.

Sec. 72.—The Badge of the "UNITED SONS OF CONFEDERATE VETERANS" shall be a circular medallion three-quarters of an inch in diameter; the rim a white enamel band, one-eighth of an inch wide on face; the center field of gold and slightly depressed, containing in relief the two battle flags of the Confederacy crossed, and beneath these the date "1896"; the flags properly enameled in colors; the words, "United Sons of Confederate Veterans," to appear upon the rim in gold letters in the order shown, and arranged in four equal divisions, formed by four "buckles" or ornaments of blue enamel. The badge may be worn pen-

dant by means of a red and white ribbon, attached to a bar, bearing the name and number of the Camp. They shall be ordered through the Commander-in-Chief.

Sec. 73.—A neat, inexpensive button, bearing a representation of the foregoing, may be provided by the Commander-in-Chief and furnished to the members at as low a price as possible.

Sec. 74.—This Confederation shall religiously observe the celebration of Memorial Day, which Memorial Day shall be the same as that prescribed by the respective Divisions of the "United Confederate Veterans," and the Veteran Camps.

Sec. 75.—A newspaper or other journal may be established or adopted, to be conducted wholly or mainly in the interest of this Confederation.

ARTICLE XIII.

SPECIAL POWERS.

Sec. 76.—This Confederation shall have power to make and adopt such articles of organization, rules and regulations as its members may deem proper, and to alter, amend and repeal the same, as they may see fit; provided, that such articles, rules, regulations and by-laws shall not be repugnant to this Constitution, or to the Constitution of the United States.

Sec. 77.—It shall issue commissions to all its officers, General, Department, Division, Brigade, Camp and Staff; certificates of membership to Camps joining this Confederation, and to the individual members thereof. All such documents to be issued by the Adjutant-General, upon direction of the Commander-in-Chief, and shall be signed by these two officers and bear the seal of the Confederation. It shall levy an annual per capita tax upon its members; and regulate the collection of such income for the general treasury, its custody, and its disbursement.

ARTICLE XIV.

PROHIBITIONS.

Sec. 78.—No discussion of political or religious subjects, nor any political action, or endorsing of aspirants for political office, shall be permitted in any organization of the UNITED SONS OF CONFEDERATE VETERANS, or by the General Confederation.

Sec. 79.—No debts shall be contracted by this Confederation.

Sec. 80.—No assessment shall be levied upon its members other than the fees and per capita tax, which shall never exceed an adequate amount to meet the expense of its management.

Sec. 81.—The use of the seal, badges, or name of this Confederation, for business or advertising purposes, and the giving of its badges to persons unauthorized to wear it, are emphatically prohibited.

Sec. 82.—Military titles used in the Confederate Army or Navy shall not be given to or used by members or officers of this Confederation, by reason of their being such members or officers.

ARTICLE XV.

PENALTIES—SUSPENSION.

Sec. 83.—No Camp shall be permitted representation in any meeting of this Confederation until said Camp shall have paid the annual per capita tax and all other amounts due the Confederation by said Camp. Any Camp in arrears for its per capita tax six months after any Annual Re-union, shall have five (5) per cent. of the amount added to the same.

Sec. 84.—Suspension of a Camp shall not effect the membership in the UNITED SONS OF CONFEDERATE VETERANS of comrades of such Camps, nor impair their tenure of office or eligibility as officers therein during such suspension. Prolonged suspension of a Camp may be declared at an Annual Re-union for an act detrimental to the objects and purposes of the Confederation, and shall lead to forfeiture of membership by the Camp.

Sec. 85.—Re-instatement from suspension will take effect immediately upon receipt by the Commander-in-Chief of evidence of the removal by the suspended Camp of its cause of suspension.

Sec. 86.—During the interim between Conventions the Commander-in-Chief shall have power to suspend any Camp or officers, for conduct detrimental to the Confederation, upon proper proof. Said action to be reported to the next Convention for permanent sentence.

Sec. 87.—Forfeiture of membership shall be declared against any Camp allowing political or religious discussions or taking any such action.

Sec. 88.—Forfeiture of membership may also be declared against any Camp committing an act repugnant to this Constitution or detrimental to the objects and purposes of

the Confederation; and against any Camp in arrears for one year's dues, which remain unpaid after written notice by the Adjutant-General.

Sec. 89.—Forfeiture of membership shall be declared by a two-thirds vote at an Annual Re-union after proper investigation of the charges, and only when they have been substantiated.

ARTICLE XVI.

PERMANENT ARCHIVES.

Sec. 90.—The Archives of the Confederation shall be permanently located at Richmond, Virginia. In it shall be kept all Confederate relics, books, histories, records, etc., which may be acquired by the Confederation. Copies of all orders, reports and official papers of the Confederation shall also be kept there. It shall be governed by a committee composed of one comrade from each Division, elected by the delegates at each Annual Re-union of the Confederation. The direct management shall be placed in an Executive Committee, composed of three (3) members of Camp R. E. Lee No. 1, of Richmond. The chairman to be appointed by the Commander-in-Chief, one elected by the Camp, and one appointed by the Virginia Division Commander.

ARTICLE XVII.

COMMITTEES.

Sec. 91.—There shall be four Standing Committees, appointed by the Commander-in-Chief, to consist of one member from each Division, and one to represent the Camps outside the former Confederate States. They shall be as follows:

Sec. 92. Historical Committee, that shall have charge of all matters relating to the literary and historical purposes of this Confederation.

Sec. 93.—Relief Committee, that shall have charge of all matters relating to relief, pensions, homes and other benevolent purposes of this Confederacy;

Sec. 94.—Monumental Committee, that shall have charge of all matters relating to monuments, graves and the Confederation's objects and purposes in these respects; and

Sec. 95.—Finance Committee, to verify accounts of officers, to fix the compensation of same when it becomes necessary, under the advice and approval of the Commander-in-Chief, and to attend to such other matters of finance as may be referred to it.

Sec. 96.—These Committees may sub-divide themselves for purposes of facilitating their labors, and shall keep a record of their meetings, make reports annually, or oftener, if required by the Commander-in-Chief, and shall turn over their records to the Adjutant-General at the expiration of their term of office.

SPECIAL COMMITTEES.

Sec. 97.—Special Committees can be appointed by the Commander-in-Chief when a necessity arises, and shall be appointed by him when so ordered by the Annual Re-union.

Sec. 98.—All Committees shall meet when called by their chairman. Reports of committees shall be sent to the Commander-in-Chief one month before the Annual Re-union.

ARTICLE XVIII.

FINANCES.

Sec. 99.—A charter fee of Two Dollars (\$2 00) shall be paid by each new Camp, which shall accompany its application, and entitle the Camp, if admitted, upon the payment of one year's per capita tax, to a certificate of membership free from cost of postage.

Sec. 100.—A fee of One Dollar (\$1.00) shall be paid for each commission issued to officers, or certificates to individual members of Camps, and shall be remitted to General Headquarters, which fee shall include postage.

Sec. 101.—A yearly per capita tax of ten cents (10c) shall be paid by each Camp for every active member in good standing in such Camp, and not enumerated in any other Camp.

Sec. 102.—The fiscal year of this Confederation shall be from the end of one Annual Re-union to the end of the next Annual Re-union. All Camps shall be liable for the full year's per capita tax for the fiscal year in which they are organized, without regard to the time of organization and when chartered, shall remit the same in full. The per capita tax of Camps shall be paid annually, before the Annual Re-union, and shall be calculated upon the number of members shown by the annual muster roll.

Sec. 103.—The Commander-in-Chief shall fix the price for badges, books and blanks required and issued by the Confederation, which shall not exceed an amount sufficient to defray their cost and distribution.



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Sec. 104.—All funds, from whatever source and for whatever purpose, shall be immediately paid over to the Quarter-master-General, who shall give bond therefor in a sum double in amount the total of funds received from all sources during the preceding fiscal year. He shall receive a salary sufficient to pay the cost of said bond only.

Sec. 105.—The per capita tax of ten cents may be apportioned out as follows: Nine cents (9c.) to General Headquarters and one cent (1c.) to the Department Headquarters from which it was paid.

Sec. 106.—Divisions may levy additional fees and per capita tax upon their Camps, for their own purposes, and to meet their internal expenses; same to be paid to their Headquarters direct.

ARTICLE XIX.

HEADQUARTERS.

Sec. 107.—General Headquarters of this Confederation shall be the place of residence of its Commander-in-Chief. Department, Division and Brigade Headquarters shall be respectively the places of residence of the Commanders of each.

ARTICLE XX.

Sec. 108.—This Constitution shall only be altered or amended at an Annual Re-union by two-thirds ($\frac{2}{3}$) of the votes cast. No amendment can be considered unless written notice thereof, with copy of proposed change, shall have been sent to each Camp at least three months in advance of the Annual Re-union. This may be sent by any member and shall be sent by the Adjutant-General upon timely request. Any Section herein may be suspended for the time being, at any Annual Re-union, by a unanimous vote of the vote cast, with exception of Section 108.

We, the undersigned Constitutional Committee, beg leave to submit the foregoing as our report in revision of the Constitution.

C. H. FAUNTLEROY, Chairman,
THOMAS E. POWE.

I differ from the Committee and disapprove of new Sections 11 and 12, Sec. 20, and Sec. 70.

EDWIN P. COX.

APPENDIX.

Information and design for uniform and dress of the United Confederate Veteran Association :

1. Uniform for Department and Division Commanders.—A dress coat with turn-down collar, same cut as that usually worn by our beloved commander, Gen. Robt. E. Lee, as shown in most of his pictures now extant, made from Cadet gray, shade of gray same as No. 1238, manufactured by Charlottesville Woolen Mills, Charlottesville, Va., which for the sake of uniformity in shade of cloth, is designated as the mill from which to buy the same.

The insignia of rank, the number and arrangement of buttons on coat to be same as that of like rank in Confederate States Army. Pants same cloth as coat.

2. The color of trimmings for uniforms of General Officers will be buff, same as used in the Confederate Army, which includes the Adjutant General, Quartermaster General, Commissary General, Engineer and Aide-de-Camp.

3. Medical Officers—black.

4. Artillery Officers—red.

5. Cavalry Officers—yellow.

6. Infantry Officers—light blue.

7. The buttons for general officers, and camps, same for all purposes—bright gilt, rounded edge, slightly convex with raised Confederate battle flag in the center, surrounded on the four sides with the letters U. C. V., and the figures 1861-1865. Large size button—one inch in exterior diameter. Small size for coat sleeves—half inch.

8. For all officers a waist belt, not less than one and one-half inches nor more than two inches wide. Slings of same material as the belt, with hook attached upon which the sword may be hung.

9. For Department, Division and Brigade Commanders, Russian leather with three stripes of gold embroidery

10. For all other officers, regardless of the arm of service, black leather stitched. Non-commissioned officers may wear same belt without slings.

11. For all Officers, General Staff and Camps, a belt plate, with a raised bright rim; a silver wreath of laurel encircling the letters—C. S. A.

12. For all Camps, officers and men the same—a black cocked hat of military shape. Brim fastened up on the right side with wreath and letters, U. C. V. General officers and mounted Staff same hat with black plume.

13. LEGGINS AND SPURS.—For mounted officers.

black duck of late military cut, with buff colored buckle strap fastenings. Spurs yellow metal or gilt.

14. Camps named in honor of favorite officers or privates may uniform for the same arm of service to which said comrade belonged. In this way intensify their esteem for those whose memory they seek to honor and perpetuate. Thus giving representation to the uniform of each arm of the service.

15. COLORS OF TRIMMINGS.—Infantry, Light Blue; Artillery, Red; Cavalry, Yellow.

16. The Camp uniform to be made from same shade of gray and grade of cloth as indicated for general officers and staff, viz.: No. 1238, Charlottesville Woolen Mills, Charlottesville, Va.

17. Coat to be a single breasted blouse, skirt extending to a line with the crotch, stand-up collar, cut no higher than to permit the chin to turn freely over it and slope upward and backward at an angle of thirty degrees on each side; seven buttons in front and three on the sleeves, regulation size. The collar of coat to be trimmed with a small flat worsted braid (color to indicate the arm or service) about one-fourth of an inch wide at top and bottom on the outside. Cuffs to be trimmed with same material, broken around two and one-half inches from end on bottom side and sloping upward to a point four inches from end of sleeve.

18. Pants to be made from same shade and grade of cloth as indicated for coat, trimmed with a narrow stripe about one-half inch wide, placed along the outer seam of pant leg, of such color as to indicate the arm of service.

19. The same uniform for both camp officers and men, except the officers will wear their insignia of rank same as that worn in the Army of the Confederate States.

20. Camps may adopt a facing for trimming collars and cuffs instead of outlining with a worsted braid, using such color of cloth for facing as to indicate the arm of service, as said Camp may select.

21. Camps may leave off all trimming from uniform and use a small turn-over collar to coat, where the Camp, as an organization, elects to do so.

Department Commanders.—A dress coat with turn-down collar; edges piped with buff; two rows of buttons on breast, nine in each row, placed in threes. Distance between the rows, four inches at top and three inches at bottom. Three embroidered stars on each side of collar, the center star one

and one-quarter inches, the others one inch each in diameter, all inclosed in embroidered wreath

Division Commanders.—Same as for Department Commanders, without the buff piping, but with four rows of gold braid on sleeves.

Brigade Commanders.—Dress coat same as provided for Brigadier General in the Confederate States Army; stand up collar, buff cloth collar and cuffs, and edges piped with buff. Two rows of buttons on breast, eight in each row; placed in pairs; distance between rows, four inches at top and three inches at bottom. Insignia of rank, a wreath enclosing three embroidered stars of one inch each on each side of collar, and four rows of gold braid on the sleeves.

Staff Officers.—Same, except insignia number and arrangement of buttons, according to rank.

Colonel.—Two rows of buttons, seven in each, and three on the sleeves. Three embroidered stars of one inch each on collar, and three rows of gold braid on sleeves.

Lieutenant Colonel.—Same, except two stars.

Fatigue Uniform for Brigade and Division Commanders.

Blouse—Double breasted, edges piped with buff, turn-down collar, no facing on cuffs or collar, no braid on sleeves; two rows of buttons, placed by threes for Division Commanders, and by twos for Brigade Commanders. Embroidered insignia of rank on collar.

Fatigue Uniform for Staff Officers.—Regulation fatigue blouses for staff officers below the rank of Brigadier-General, single breasted, skirt extending to a line with the crotch; stand-up collar, seven regulation U. C. V. buttons in front and three on sleeves; cuffs and collar faced with buff (staff color), sleeves trimmed with fine gilt braid, and insignia on collar indicating staff rank.

Trousers without stripe. Adjutant Generals of the respective staffs may elect to use turn-down collar, and may leave off braid and facing in cuffs and collars. This, however, for the sake of uniformity should only be done when adopted for all of said staff organizations.

Camp Officers.—Commander, rank of Major—Single-breasted sack or blouse, stand-up collar with one star on each side, one inch each; one row of seven buttons on breast and three rows of braid on sleeves.

Lieutenant Commanders, Adjutant, Surgeon and Chaplains rank as Captains—Same, except three bars on each side of coat collar, and two rows of braid on sleeves.

Surgeons.—Black facings and gilt braid.

Chaplain, black braid on sleeves and cross on collar, in place of bars.

Assistant Surgeon, Officers of the Day and Treasurer rank as First Lieutenant—Same, except two bars on each side of coat collar and one row of braid on sleeves.

Sergeant Major rank as First Sergeant—Insignia, Sergeant Major's chevrons—three bars and an arc.

Vidette rank as First Sergeant—Insignia, Orderly Sergeant's chevrons—three bars and a lozenge.

Color Sergeants—Insignia, Color Sergeants' chevrons.

Two Color Guards—Insignia, Second Sergeants' chevrons.

(Note:—No provision being made herein for the following officers, it was ordered by Commander-in-Chief R. B. Haughton in General Order No. 7, February 15, 1902, that the following uniforms be adopted:

For Second Lieutenant Commander, same as First Lieutenant Commander.

For Quartermaster, same as Adjutant.

For Historian, same as Adjutant.)

The important changes were taken up first as follows:

Section 70, providing an official uniform, was read and upon motion of Comrade N. R. Tisdal, of Ardmore, Ind. Ter., was adopted and approved as a part of said report.

Section 20, establishing the office of Past Commander-in-chief, was then read and motion made that it be adopted and approved as a part of the said report. The Adjutant-General put the question and the motion was unanimously carried.

Department Commander Collier, of Tennessee, here asked that the two sections just adopted be re-read, which was done. He then moved that the motions to adopt the sections be reconsidered. This motion was voted down by the convention.

Sections 102, 104, 50, 16 and 73, concerning, respectively, the beginning and end of the fiscal year, the payment of all funds to the Quartermaster-General, the territorial extent of the Departments, certain vacancies in the office of Division Commander, and providing for a cheap button, were then read in

order, and each was adopted and approved as a part of said report.

Section 82, prohibiting applying military titles identical with those of Confederate Veterans, to our officers, was then read. Department Commander Cox, of Virginia, moved that this section be adopted and approved as a part of said report, which motion was duly seconded. Assistant Adjutant-General Maurin, Division Commander Daniel, of Mississippi, and Comrade Sanders, of Louisiana, spoke eloquently and forcibly in opposition to the motion, and were answered by a brilliant and convincing speech by Brigade Commander Carlos Bee, of San Antonio, Tex. Department Commander Collier, of Memphis, Brigade Commander Moulden, of Texas, and Comrades from Texas, Georgia and other Divisions, also spoke in support of the motion.

Former Division Commander Fayssoux, of New Orleans, arose to a point of information in regard to the meaning of the section, and the Commander-in-chief explained that it had no reference whatever to uniforms, but was simply intended to prevent the use of military titles in addressing officers of our organization. At this point, upon motion, a recess of ten minutes was taken in order to give delegates time to consider this section before voting.

The convention was then called to order and the vote taken by roll call of camps. Before the announcement of the vote Hon. John H. Reagan, ex-Postmaster-General of the Confederate States of America, and the last surviving member of President Davis' cabinet, entered the hall accompanied by the committee. He was escorted to the platform and presented to the convention by Department Commander Edwin P. Cox, of the committee. The venerable and distinguished Southerner was received with great applause and evident respect, by the convention, and he made an eloquent and interesting address dwelling at length on the constitutional questions involved in the Act of Secession. His remarks were full of valuable historical information and gave convincing proof of the rights of the Southerners and they were listened to with the greatest attention and interest.

After this address the aforesaid vote on the motion to adopt

and approve Section 82 of the Constitutional Committee's report was announced as being 364 in favor of the motion and 272 against the same. The section was duly declared adopted and approved as a part of said report.

Section 75, concerning an official journal, was read and upon motion was duly adopted and approved as a part of said report.

Sections 11 and 12, concerning qualifications for membership, were read. Division Commander Daniel, of Mississippi, moved that these sections be tabled. It being suggested that this would table the entire report, he withdrew the motion. It was then moved and seconded by other Comrades, that these two sections be adopted and approved as parts of the said report. The motion was opposed by Division Commander Atkinson, of Missouri, in a convincing and eloquent speech, and by Division Commander Daniel and others. Several Comrades spoke in favor of the motion. Upon the vote the motion was lost by a large majority and the new sections rejected amid vigorous applause.

The Commander-in-chief then announced that the committee's report contained several other changes, all of which he believed were of a minor character, such as change of arrangement, substitution of words and other slight changes in minor details, although, he stated, that he could not be absolutely sure that there were none of importance. He then went rapidly over the report, announced that he noticed no other important changes and asked if the convention wished to have all read or were prepared to act upon them without such reading. It was, thereupon, moved by a Comrade from Texas that all of the other changes be adopted and approved as parts of said report. The motion was duly seconded and carried with no dissenting vote.

The entire report of the Constitutional Committee, as thus amended, adopted and approved, was then put before the house and it was moved, seconded and carried, unanimously, that the same be adopted and made the Constitution of our Confederation.

The report of the Quartermaster-General was then read and approved by the convention.

REPORT OF THE QUARTERMASTER-GENERAL.

Dallas, Tex., April 25, 1902.

To R. B. Haughton, Commander-in-Chief.

United Sons of Confederate Veterans:

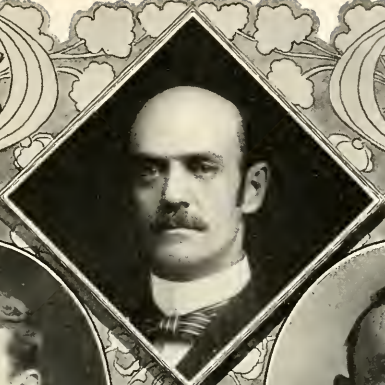
Sir:—Your Quartermaster-General begs to submit the following report of receipts and disbursements:

RECEIPTS.

From balance turned over of last administration....	\$ 671 93
From per capita tax and fines	995 52
From Charter fees..	164 00
From Commissions issued to various officers and members....	30 25
From Badges	43 25
From Minutes	2 50
Total	\$1,907 55

DISBURSEMENTS.

Rower & Co., printing general orders, blanks, forms, etc.....	\$ 84 25
Postage	143 15
Typewriting and stenographic services	88 80
Printing and stationery, general and incidental	10 70
Exchange paid on foreign checks	3 60
Badges	36 45
Telegrams	8 05
Banner, General Headquarters	30 00
Express, drayage and freight	6 20
General incidental expenses, amounts too small to be itemized	17 30
Bradley & Gilbert, printing minutes of Memphis Reunion, as per contract made by Commander-in-Chief Hindman....	396 00
George A. Jones, printing as per voucher of Commander-in- Chief Hindman	19 75
Shalleross Printing and Stationery Co., printing letterheads, envelopes, general orders, etc	75 50
James Mann, expense, Department Commander, Northern Vir- ginia, 1900-1901.....	10 70
Geo. B. Myers, expense, Department Commander, Army of Tennessee, 1900-1901.....	10 50
W. A. Collier, expense, Department of Army of Tennessee, 1901-1902	15 00
Biscoe Hindman, postage, mailing minutes, Memphis Reunion	25 00
Buxton & Skinner, printing and engrossing commissions.....	14 85



C.H. FAUNTLEROY,
CHAIRMAN CONSTITUTIONAL
COMMITTEE,
ST. LOUIS, MO.



W.H. LANGFORD,
CHAIRMAN FINANCE COMMITTEE,
PINE BLUFF, ARK.



COL. WILLIAM F. JONES,
CHAIRMAN HISTORICAL COMMITTEE,
ELBERTON, GEORGIA



JAMES MANN,
CHAIRMAN WOMEN'S
MEMORIAL COMMITTEE,
NOTTOWAY, VA.



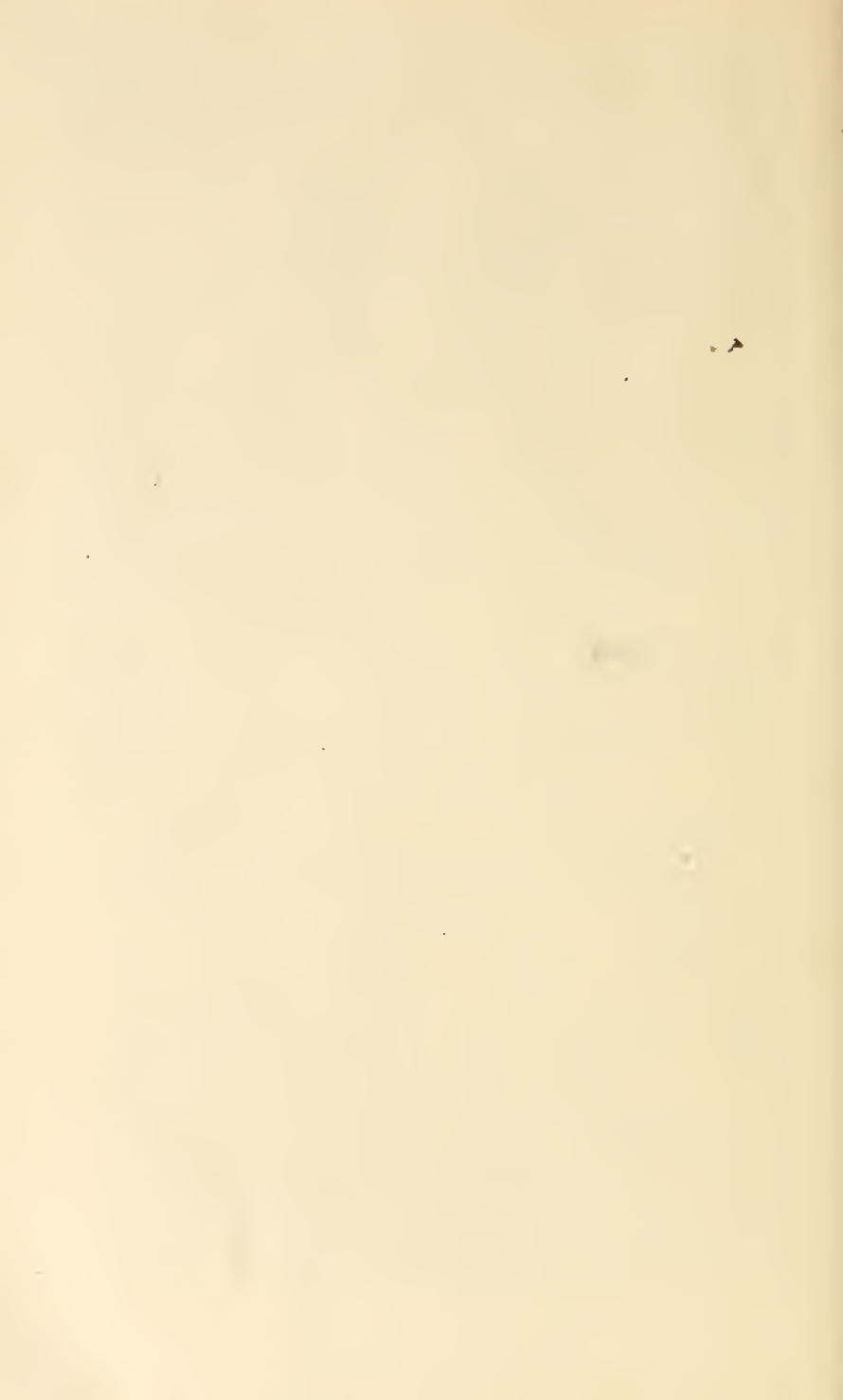
H. N. SPENCER, JR.,
CHAIRMAN COMMITTEE - UNIFORM,
ST. LOUIS, MO.



D.A. SPIVEY,
CHAIRMAN MONUMENTAL COM.,
CONWAY, S.C.



HAMILTON M. BRANCH,
SECRETARY AND ACTING CHAIRMAN
WOMEN'S MEMORIAL COMMITTEE,
CHARLOTTE, N.C.



Miss Florence Barlow, copies "Lost Cause," for use in organizing new camps	3 00
John F. Worley, printing	6 75
Total	<u>\$1,005 55</u>
Total receipts	\$1,907 55
Total disbursements	1,005 55
Balance	<u>\$ 902 00</u>

Vouchers for all the above expenditures are herewith enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

STANLEY D. PEARCE,
Quartermaster-General.

The greetings of Chairmen D. A. Spivey, of Conway, S. C., and James Mann, of Nottoway, Va., were read to the convention.

The following resolution was offered by Division Commander W. M. Barrow, of Louisiana :

"Resolved, That the movement inaugurated by the Mississippi Division, United Sons of Confederate Veterans, to purchase Beauvoir as a memorial to the lost cause and to perpetuate the memory of that representative of the Southern Confederacy, has met with universal approval and has been endorsed by the Daughters of the Confederacy, the Ladies' Memorial Association, and we, the United Sons of Confederate Veterans do indorse this action in the part of the Mississippi Division, offer them our congratulations in the institution of such a movement, and pledge them our earnest support to achieve the success of so worthy an undertaking."

Upon motion the same was duly adopted.

The following resolution was also duly adopted :

"Whereas, The Commander-in-chief, R. B. Haughton, has by his zealous work in behalf of the United Sons of Confederate Veterans, and his ability, tact and courtesy in presiding over this convention, shown the true Southern spirit ; therefore, be it

"Resolved, That this convention extend to him a vote of thanks for the interest manifested by him in this organization,

for the faithful manner in which he has presided throughout this convention and the impartiality shown in performing his numerous duties."

It was then moved, seconded and carried, that the regular order of business be suspended for the time being, and that the convention proceed to the election of officers.

The convention limited the time for nominating speeches to five minutes each, and the seconding speeches to two of two minutes each.

The Commander-in-chief announced nominations for Commander-in-chief to be in order. Comrade Sanford, of Waco, Tex., was recognized by the chair, and he made an eloquent speech, placing Division Commander Thomas P. Stone, of Waco, Tex., in nomination for this office. This nomination was received with tremendous applause and was ably seconded by Comrades G. W. Clark, of R. E. Lee Camp, Waco, Tex., and M. J. Moore, of Cameron, Tex.

Hon. J. Y. Sanders, of New Orleans, was then recognized. Comrade Sanders, in an eloquent speech, placed former Division Commander W. McL. Fayssoux, of New Orleans, in nomination, amid great applause. Division Commander Daniel, of Mississippi, and Comrade Liverman, of Mansfield, La., seconded the nomination of Fayssoux. Upon motion, the nominations were then closed and the call of the camps for the vote begun. When the call was about two-thirds completed, Division Commander Stone then having quite a majority of the votes, Comrade Fayssoux obtained recognition from the chair, and, withdrawing his name, cast the vote of the Division of Louisiana for Division Commander Stone and moved that his election be made unanimous. Comrade Fayssoux's magnanimous act was greeted with great applause by the convention, and the motion being carried unanimously, Division Commander Stone was declared elected by acclamation. Upon loud calls for him, he was escorted to the stage and spoke feelingly of the great honor which had been conferred on him, pledging his best efforts to the success of the organization during his administration. Comrade Fayssoux was then called for and escorted to the stage. He made a telling and appropriate speech, thanking those who had supported him and congratulating the Confederation upon their newly elected Commander-in-chief.

Nominations for the office of Department Commander of the Army of Northern Virginia Department were then declared in order. Department Commander Edwin P. Cox, of that Department, nominated Division Commander W. H. Kearfott, of West Virginia, for this office. Comrade John J. Davis, of Louisville, Ky., nominated Assistant Adjutant-General Jesse N. Gathright, of Louisville. Comrade Wade, of Waco, Tex., and Commandant Kivett, of Colorado Springs, Colo., seconded the nomination of Gathright. During the casting of the vote, Department Commander Cox withdrew the name of Division Commander Kearfott, and Assistant Adjutant-General Gathright was elected by acclamation.

Nominations for the office of Department Commander of the Army of Tennessee Department were declared in order. Brigade Commander R. E. L. Bynum, of Jackson, Tenn., was placed in nomination by Comrade Crane, of Tennessee. This nomination was seconded by Comrade Monte J. Moore, of Cameron, Tex. Department Commander Collier, of Memphis, Tenn., nominated N. B. Forrest, of Memphis, Tenn., Adjutant of the Memphis Camp and grandson of the great Confederate cavalry leader. Adjutant Forrest's nomination was seconded by Department Commander Cox, and Brigade Commander Carlos Bee, of San Antonio, Tex., the latter a son of the distinguished General who fell at the first battle of Bull Run, and gave utterance to the rallying cry which is now immortalized in the name "Stonewall" Jackson.

Adjutant Forrest, receiving a vote of 272 to 169 cast for his opponent, was declared elected.

Nominations for the office of Department Commander of the Trans-Mississippi Department were declared in order. Comrade W. H. Langford, of Pine Bluff, Ark., placed in nomination for this office Dr. W. D. Buckner, of Pine Bluff, the present incumbent. Department Commander Buckner's nomination was seconded by Comrade Sanders, of Louisiana. Former Division Commander N. R. Tisdal, of Ardmore, Ind. Ter., was nominated by former Department Commander Brant H. Kirk, of Waco, Tex., and the nomination was seconded by Division Commander Graham, of the Indian Territory, and Brigade Commander R. E. Lee Bynum, of Tennessee. When the vote was

cast up by the tellers, a discrepancy was found, owing to the failure of one of the tellers to put down the vote of Camp Beauregard, of New Orleans, La. The entry of this vote was challenged by Comrade Kirk on behalf of Comrade Tisdal, claiming that it had been cast by proxy. The matter was considered at length by many of the delegates present, and, after a most thorough discussion, the Commander-in-chief announced that his opinion was that the vote should be counted and he so ruled. The Commander-in-chief announced (as it was very late), it being the wish of Comrade Kirk that the matter be passed upon by the convention, that it would be considered that Comrade Kirk had taken an appeal from the decision of the chair, and the same could be presented to the convention at its meeting the following morning. The vote was then announced as being 254 for Department Commander Buckner and 244 for Comrade Tisdal. The Commander-in-chief, thereupon, declared Department Commander Buckner duly elected.

Owing to the lateness of the hour, the convention then adjourned, at 7:30 p. m., to meet again at 11 o'clock the following morning.

FRIDAY MORNING, APRIL 25, 1902.

The convention met promptly at 11 o'clock.

The Commander-in-chief called for the report of the Committee appointed to extend our greetings to the United Confederate Veterans. Division Commander Barrow reported that their convention had adjourned sine die before our Committee could present itself and, therefore, nothing could be done by the Committee.

The report of the Women's Memorial Committee was read by the Adjutant-General, the chairman, James Mann, Esq., of Nottoway, Va., to the regret of his many friends in the convention, finding it impossible to be present.

REPORT OF THE WOMEN'S MEMORIAL COMMITTEE.

To the United Sons of Confederate Veterans:

It is with profound regret that the chairman of the Women's Memorial Committee is obliged to send this report to be read by a mem

ber of the committee, instead of being with you to make his report in person. Owing to ill health, it has been necessary for him to be absent from his office all of the winter, a part of the time out of the country, and prudence requires that he shall now forego the pleasure of being in Dallas with you. He has been unable since the last reunion to perform his duties as the chairman of this most important committee; but for the past five months, those duties have been most faithfully and efficiently performed by Hamilton M. Branch, Esq., the secretary of the committee. Mr. Branch has been cheerfully and ably supported by most of the members of the committee, but I regret to have to say that our comrades representing several of the Divisions of our Confederation have shown a most lamentable lack of interest in the noble work in which we are engaged. I say it to their shame.

I deem it best to submit to you a statement, showing the exact status of the finances of the committee. At the last reunion, the committee reported the following collections and subscriptions: Through Hon. John I. Moore, member for Arkansas, \$236.50; through Hon. F. H. Weston, member for South Carolina, \$95; through N. R. Tisdal, Esq., member for Indian Territory, \$15.05; through the chairman, \$405.58. (See proceedings of Memphis reunion, page 40). Of these amounts, there has been collected the following: Arkansas, \$236.50; Indian Territory, \$15.05; Chairman, \$295.58; total, \$547.13. The unpaid subscriptions made through the chairman are: Hon. Anthony M. Keiley, Alexandria, Egypt, \$100; Hon. John F. Rixey, Culpeper, Va., \$10; both of which will be paid. The chairman has never been furnished with a list of South Carolina subscriptions, all of which remain unpaid.

Of the subscriptions made at Memphis, the following have been paid, through the various committeemen, to the chairman:

Arkansas, R. B. Macon, (personal)	\$ 10 00
Georgia, H. M. Branch, (personal)	10 00
Georgia, Camp Thomas Hardeman, No. 18	40 00
Mississippi, Camp T. B. Kennedy, No. 247	25 00
Missouri, R. B. Haughton, with interest, (personal)	103 50
North Carolina, Julia Jackson Chapter, Daughters of the Confederacy	50 00
South Carolina, Camp Litchfield, No. 132	10 00
Tennessee, Camp N. B. Forrest, No. 215	250 00
Texas, Camp Sul Ross, No. 129	100 00
Texas, Thos. P. Stone, (personal)	55 00
Virginia, James Mann, (personal)	50 00
	\$703 50

From the above it will appear that there has been collected in all by your committee the sum of \$1,250.63.

The expenses incurred and paid by the chairman have been as follows:

Stationery and printing	\$17 50
Postage	11 37
Thos. E. Lucey	45 00
Express and telegrams	15 85
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	<u>\$89 72</u>

The item of \$45. paid to Thos. E. Lucey, was disbursed for lithographs, dodgers, and other advertising matter, and expenses of Mr. Lucey, in an effort to arrange a series of lectures that Mr. Lucey volunteered to make for the benefit of this fund. The item of \$15.85, for express and telegrams, was almost entirely expended in connection with this same effort. Our comrades at the various points took but small interest in the lecturing tour, and it had to be abandoned.

The above disbursements, amounting to \$89.72, deducted from \$1,250.63, the total collections, leaves a balance of \$1,160.91, which amount is in the Bank of Crewe, Crewe, Va., on certificates of deposit, bearing 4 per cent interest.

The following statement, showing the amount subscribed at the Memphis reunion by each division, the amount paid on such subscriptions, and the balance due thereon, is submitted for the information of the convention:

State.	Amt. Subscribed.	Amt. Paid	Bal. Due.
Alabama	\$ 50 00	.....	\$ 50 00
Arkansas	750 00	10 00	740 00
Colorado	50 00	.....	50 00
Georgia	333 00	50 00	283 00
Indian Territory	50 00	50 00	.....
Kentucky	225 00	.....	225 00
Louisiana	76 00	.....	76 00
Mississippi	706 00	25 00	681 00
Missouri	283 00	100 00	183 00
North Carolina	50 00	50 00	.....
South Carolina	35 00	10 00	25 00
Tennessee	550 00	250 00	300 00
Texas	250 00	155 00	95 00
Virginia	350 00	50 00	300 00
West Virginia	50 00	.....	50 00
U. S. C. V.	400 00	.....	400 00
	<u>\$4,208 00</u>	<u>\$700 00</u>	<u>\$3,508 00</u>

There was also subscribed at Memphis by friends not connected with our organization \$125, which has not yet been paid. It is earn-

estly hoped that a large part of the \$3,633. shown above to be unpaid, will be paid at Dallas before this report is read; and that a supplemental statement, showing a much larger amount in the hands of the committee, can be submitted to you. It will be observed that the uncollected subscriptions made at Memphis and prior to that reunion added to the amount now in the hands of the committee aggregate very nearly five thousand dollars.

It is proper to state, in reference to the Virginia subscriptions, that they have not been paid largely because the chairman, who is the member of the committee from that State, has not been able to press their collection. The undersigned will personally guarantee the payment of the \$100 subscribed by his own Camp, Pickett Stuart, No. 13; and he is assured that the other subscriptions from Virginia will be paid.

The importance of the work in which this committee is engaged cannot be too strongly impressed upon our comrades. We have undertaken this work; it is a task in which we ought to take the deepest interest and the greatest pleasure; and we should use every possible effort to bring our labor of love to a speedy and glorious consummation. Many of the Camps in our Confederation have not made subscriptions to this fund, and it is earnestly hoped that every such Camp will subscribe at least \$1 for every member in good standing; and that all Camps and Comrades will pay their subscriptions promptly.

You are gathered here in this beautiful city of Dallas to do honor to our brave Confederate fathers. Let us not forget, my comrades, that it is no less our duty to obey also the other injunction of that command of Holy Writ which says: "Honor thy father and thy mother that thy days may be long in the land the Lord, thy God, giveth thee." Respectfully submitted,

JAMES MANN,
Chairman.

(Note:—There were also paid to the Quartermaster-General, at Dallas, the following sums on the above pledges and otherwise:

N. R. Tisdal, Indian Territory	\$ 50 00
Camp "Pat Cleburne," No. 261, Arkansas	25 00
Camp "R. O. Reynolds," No. 235, Mississippi	50 00
Sons of Veterans, Terrell, Tex., pledge, (by Kirk).....	5 00
C. H. Williams, Yazoo City, Miss, pledge	50 00
Camp "Sterling Price," No. 145, St. Louis, Mo.....	108 58
James Grantham, West Virginia	1 00
Jno. Lynch, West Virginia	5 00
W. H. Kearfott, West Virginia	1 00
Total	\$295 58

The amount pledged at Memphis, by the General Confederation

(\$400), was remitted by me to Chairman Mann on June 3, 1902. On the same day, the Quartermaster-General remitted to him the above amount, \$295.58.

R. B. HAUGHTON,
Commander-in-Chief.

The Commander-in-chief called on the delegates to push the work of this Committee with all the energy possible and urged Camps to pay up subscriptions already made and not paid, and to make subscriptions in cases where none had been made.

The following resolution was then presented by Department Commander Cox and unanimously adopted by the convention: "Resolved, That the thanks of the United Sons of Confederate Veterans be extended to W. L. Cabell Camp, No. 49, U. S. C. V., and to the people of Dallas for the hospitality and courtesy shown the visiting delegates during the Reunion."

At this juncture Mrs. Mollie R. Magill Rosenberg, of Dallas, who had been an interested attendant at the meetings of the convention, offered a subscription of \$100 on account of the Women's Memorial fund, \$50 as a memorial to her mother, Mrs. Dr. Charles Magill, and \$50 as a memorial to her sister, Mrs. Ellen Swan. The Commander-in-chief asked the wishes of the convention in regard to this offer, and the convention unanimously extended its thanks and recognition of her kindness to Mrs. Rosenberg, but declined to accept the donation, as it was the sense of the convention that this work should be carried forward by our members only. Mrs. Rosenberg is First Vice-President of the United Daughters of the Confederacy. Her first appearance in our convention hall was greeted with applause, and the Commander-in-chief appointed a committee to escort her to the stage.

The question of an official organ for the United Sons of Confederate Veterans was then brought before the convention. Commander-in-chief-elect Stone spoke in favor of having an official organ directly under the control of this organization. The subject evoked considerable discussion, and was finally disposed of by passing the following resolution, which was presented by Comrade W. P. Lane, of Ft. Worth, Tex.:

"Resolved by the United Sons of Confederate Veterans, in convention assembled, That a committee of three, consisting



EDMUND MAURIN,
ASSISTANT ADJUTANT GENERAL
DONALDSONVILLE, LA.



JOHN M. ADAMS,
ASST. QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
ELECTED DIV. COM. FOR TEXAS,
FT. WORTH, TEXAS.



ROBERT MARYE BEATTIE,
ASST. JUDGE ADVOCATE GENERAL
MEMPHIS, TENN.



JESSE NATHAN GATHRIGHT,
ASST. ADJUTANT - GENERAL,
ELECTED DEPT. COM. ARMY OF NORTHERN
VA. DEPT. LOUISVILLE, KY.



GEORGES NORFLEET,
ASST. ADJUTANT GENERAL
WINSTON-SALEM, N.C.



W. SCOTT HANCOCK,
ASST. ADJUTANT GENERAL
ST. LOUIS, MO.



THOMAS E. POWE,
AIDE ON GENERAL STAFF
ST. LOUIS, MO.



of the Commander-in-chief, the Adjutant-General and the Quartermaster-General, be created to consider the advisability of establishing or securing an official journal for the Confederation, with full power to take final action in the premises."

A communication from Mrs. W. J. Behan, president of the Ladies' Confederate Memorial Association, of New Orleans, La., regarding fixing June 3, each year, as "Southern Memorial Day," was read and referred to the Women's Memorial Committee.

The Commander-in-chief called the attention of the convention to the matters of authorizing a salaried clerk, or assistant, to the Commander-in-chief, and employing a representative to travel in the interest of our confederation, which were mentioned in the communication sent in by him. The matters were discussed to some extent, and no motion being made regarding them, the Commander-in-chief stated that, if there was no objection, they would be referred to the new Commander-in-chief. No objection being made, it was so ordered.

The Commander-in-chief then called up the question of the appeal from the decision of the chair in the matter of the election for Department Commander of the Trans-Mississippi Department. Comrade Brant H. Kirk, in a very pleasant speech, announced that his candidate wished the convention to conclude its work in the same fraternal spirit that had characterized it throughout, and he therefore would not press the appeal. He stated that Comrade Tisdal and all his friends accepted the election as it stood and would rally to the support of the new Commander. Commander Tisdal made a few appropriate remarks along the same lines. Brigade Commander Carlos Bee, of San Antonio, Tex., moved that the appeal be tabled. This was seconded by Department Adjutant DeSaussure, of Memphis, Tenn., and duly carried. The matter thus ended pleasantly.

A motion was then made to adjourn the convention sine die, which was carried and the Commander-in-chief declared the convention to be adjourned sine die.

THE PARADE--THURSDAY MORNING.

(Contributed by Major L. S. Flateau, of Dallas Texas,
Aide, in full charge of the parade.)

The most brilliant parade in the history of the United Confederate Veterans, and the United Sons of Confederate Veterans, formed in Dallas, Thursday morning, April 24th, at 9:30 o'clock. Promptly at 10 o'clock, marched the old heroes and their sons—the one maimed by war's unfeeling thrusts, scarred by the flight of time, with triumphant tread and head erect, the remnant of the immortal hosts of our Dixie Land—the other, the flower of our Southland's young manhood, to whom it will soon be left to perpetuate the memory of those who bled for such a noble cause.

The United Sons of Confederate Veterans were led by their Commander-in-Chief, R. B. Haughton, of Missouri, mounted on a magnificent, black Kentucky thoroughbred, "King Boyd," and his perfect horsemanship and carriage showed only too well that he was the son of a Confederate soldier. Following the Commander-in-Chief, came the members of his staff in column of twos, as follows: W. H. Coker, Adjutant-General; Stanley D. Pearce, Quartermaster-General; John M. Adams, Assistant Quartermaster-General; Edmund Maurin, Assistant Adjutant-General; Lawson Sykes, Assistant Inspector-General; R. K. Gaston, Assistant Inspector-General; Thomas E. Powe, Aide; Clifton R. Sykes and Eugene Lanier Sykes, Esq.

Then came the Sponsor-in-Chief, the beautiful Miss Mary Edmunds Sykes, of Aberdeen, Miss., and party in a brake drawn by four superb white horses. This was decidedly the handsomest turn-out in the parade, and, together with its occupants, elicited applause all along the route. The members of the party were: Miss Martha Blanche Porter, of Memphis, Tenn., first Maid of Honor; Misses Katie Cole, of Dallas, Tex., and Claude Brownrigg McQuiston, of Aberdeen, Miss., Maids of Honor, and Mrs. Eugene Lanier Sykes, of New York City, Chaperon. With them was a gallant young gentleman, W. D. Belt, Jr., of Dallas, who carried the banner.

Then came the Special Escort of the Sponsor-in-Chief, Garland Jones, Esq., of Kansas City, Mo., and Dr. Theodore Borroun, of Corinth, Miss.

Immediately following the Special Escort came the carriage of Miss Mallory of Memphis, Tenn., Sponsor of the Army of Tennessee

Department, accompanied by her Maid, Miss Person, of Memphis; then W. A. Collier, Jr., Commander of that Department, with his staff.

Then followed the carriage of Miss Effie Barrow, of Pine Bluff, Ark., Sponsor for the Trans-Mississippi, accompanied by her Chief Maid, Miss Estelle Buckner, and Chaperon, Mrs. W. H. Langford, both of Pine Bluff, immediately followed by W. D. Buckner, Commander of that Department, with his staff.

Then came the Division Commanders and their staffs, on horseback, respectively following their sponsor and maid, in carriages, as follows:

West Virginia—Miss Zuline Snyder, sponsor, Miss Phala Hamilton Kincaid, Maid of Honor, and Mrs. D. Howe Johnston, Chaperon; W. H. Kearfott, Division Commander, and Staff:

A. A. Campbell, Acting Division Adjutant; K. M. Snyder, Aide; W. D. Slavin, Aide; F. B. Hoffer, Aide; C. E. Lynce, Assistant Division Commissary; J. W. Lynch, Aide; Col. D. Howe Johnston, Aide; Chas. Rissler, Acting Division Quartermaster; and Chas. Engle, Acting Division Inspector.

Alabama—Miss Lucy Powell Randle, Sponsor, and Miss Anastasia Pickett, Maid of Honor; T. Sidney Frazer, Division Adjutant, representing the Division Commander, and Staff.

Tennessee—Miss Guy Allen Leeper, Division Sponsor, and Miss Ellie McDonald, Brigade Sponsor; Brigade Commander R. E. Lee Bynum, representing the Division Commander, and Staff:

W. W. Cook, Brigade Inspector; J. B. Bond, Brigade Quartermaster; H. L. Higgs, Brigade Commissary; and W. W. Craig, Brigade Judge-Advocate

Mississippi—Miss Suzanne Dabney, Sponsor; Miss Hannah Elliott, Maid of Honor; and Mrs. Mayre Dabney, Chaperon; W. E. Daniel, Division Commander, and Staff:

C. H. Wright, Division Adjutant; J. B. Pickens, Division Inspector; E. L. Brister, Division Surgeon; J. J. Pearce, Division Commissary; W. W. Crane, Division Quartermaster; J. W. Stout and E. R. Miles, Aides.

Louisiana—Miss Margaret Allison, Sponsor; Miss Heloise Sims, Maid of Honor; and Mrs. J. Y. Allison, Chaperon for the Division, and Misses Pattie Hunter, Clements, Anna Clark, Coyle, Mamie Beard and Ethel Egelly, Camp Sponsors and Maids of Honor; Wm. Barrow, Division Commander, and Staff:

Wm McL. Fayssoux, former Division Commander; Harry H. Clark, Acting Division Adjutant; H. T. Liverman, Aide; Dr. H. Stoke, Aide; Ben Stanard, Division Color Bearer; E. J. Gay, Jr., H. Conner Randolph and Hon Jared Y. Sanders, Aides.

Texas—Miss Leona Randal, Sponsor; Miss Eva Westbrook, Maid of Honor, and Mrs. M. B. Westbrook, Chaperon; Thomas P. Stone, Esq., Division Commander, and Staff.

Missouri—Miss Margaret Wilkinson, Sponsor; Miss Katharine Mercer, Maid of Honor; and Mrs. J. B. Gantt, Chaperon; Chilton Atkinson, Esq., Division Commander, and Staff.

Indian Territory—Miss Nannie Pulliam, Sponsor; Miss Tennie White, Maid of Honor; and Mrs. T. Y. Morgan, Chaperon; J. C. Graham, Esq., Division Commander, and Staff.

The Division Commanders and their Staff Officers were handsomely uniformed—those of West Virginia and Louisiana, particularly, receiving considerable attention and much praise for their striking appearance.

Following them came the Sponsor of "W. L. Cabell" Camp, of Dallas, Tex., Miss Fay Kearby, accompanied by her Maids of Honor, Misses Marie Carter, Annie Atchley, Shirley Callier and Chaperon, Mrs. Hunter A. Craycroft; then the special escort of honor to the Dallas Sponsor, consisting of the following members of "W. L. Cabell" Camp, mounted on spirited horses: Dr. Dero Seay, Chas. W. Padgitt, Robt. Eagon and Sam O. Smith, Jr. The carriage was drawn by a pair of beautiful white horses, and attracted much attention.

The Sons were also strongly represented by a large number of delegates who marched on foot, bringing up the rear of the column.

Throughout the whole line of march all the Sponsors and Maids of Honor were cheered to the echo, and they responded with smiles and bows to the homage of the multitude.

The Sons of Veterans marched in the column directly in the rear of the Texas Division, Trans-Mississippi Department, of the Veterans. The entire parade was led by Gen. K. M. Van Zandt, Grand Marshall, and Staff, preceded by the famous Grand Army Band, of Canton, O. This band played alternately "Swanee River," "Dixie," "Bonnie Blue Flag," and "Maryland, My Maryland," and the climax of enthusiasm was reached when all four tunes were carried at once in perfect harmony, by different portions of the band. The music had been arranged especially for the occasion, and was one of the best features of the parade.

In the first carriage rode Miss Katie Daffan, Sponsor for the Texas Division, and Maids of Honor. Immediately behind came Gen. Gordon, Commander-in-Chief of the United Confederate Veterans, and his Staff, receiving a continuous ovation.

In the second carriage were four old men that the South delights to honor: Hon. Jno. H. Reagan, Postmaster-General of the Confederacy; Hon. Frank R. Lubbock, War Governor of Texas, and Aide on

the Staff of President Davis, Dr. S. H. Stout, Medical Director of the Army of Tennessee, Confederate States Army, and Gen. T. N. Waul, of Greenville, Tex., who was a Brigadier-General in the Confederate Army.

In the next carriage, as guests of honor, were Gov. Joseph D. Sayers, of Texas; Gov. Heard, of Louisiana; Lieut.-Gov. Estopinal, of Louisiana; and Mayor Cap devielle, of New Orleans. Members of Gov. Sayers' staff followed in another carriage, and in still another Miss Lucy Lee Hill, Sponsor of the South, and her Maid rode. Next came the Army of Northern Virginia Department, commanded by Lieut.-Gen. Irvine C. Walker and his staff. The Virginia Division following, carrying many battle-flags, blood-stained, which received rounds of applause.

Then came the South Carolina, Maryland and North Carolina Divisions, the latter with their hornets' nests. "We came by it honest," declared an old veteran, as he tramped along. Next in line was Lieut.-Gen. Stephen D. Lee, commanding Army of Tennessee Department, and staff. Then came a carriage containing Miss Haldeman, Sponsor for the Department, and her Maids of Honor, Misses Megibbin and Schneider.

Then came the Georgia Division, with many battle-flags; Alabama Division; and then the Tennessee Division, which provoked quite a demonstration. At the head rode Major-Gen. Walker and staff, followed by Sponsors and Maids. Then came several companies of old veterans, in the gray jeans uniforms that they wore in the '60s, the same caps, the same guns, keeping step to the beat of the drum. They made a splendid appearance, and all along the line of march, they received an ovation that must have done their hearts good.

Following them came Forrest's Cavalry Corps, Gen. Tyree H. Bell, then the Trans-Mississippi Department. Gen. W. L. Cabell, Commander, and staff, rode at the head of the Department, followed by a carriage containing Miss Gaston, Sponsor, and Miss Edwards, Chief Maid of Honor, accompanied by Mrs. Kate Cabell Currie, Chaperon.

Then came the different divisions of the Trans-Mississippi Department—Texas and Arkansas being especially well represented. One of the features of the Arkansas Division was a banner inscribed, "We are from Arkansas. Now laugh, darn ye!" This announcement and defiance, often repeated by the old veterans, caused much merriment. One of the best features of the parade was the countermarching of the heroes, so that each and every one of them saw the entire parade as well as the spectators. The old soldiers said it was the finest and the largest parade since the war. The spectators said it was the greatest and most imposing spectacle they had ever witnessed. It was a glorious culmination of fond hopes, long to be remembered by partisans and spectators alike.

THE SOCIAL SIDE OF THE REUNION.

This part of the Reunion, which to many of the visitors is almost the most important, and to everyone is very delightful, was as complete and perfect as it could be. The people and the committees of Dallas were more than lavishly hospitable in this respect, and provided really more than the visitors could find time to enjoy.

The first entertainment was the piano recital by the celebrated artist, Paderewski, which was given on the night of the 21st. It was a full dress affair, and was attended by as many as could be seated in the immense auditorium of Confederate Hall, where it was held. The spectacular effect of the handsomely dressed audience was magnificent, and the performance itself such as only that accomplished musician can present.

On the afternoon of the 22nd, the parade in connection with the arrival of the Kaliph, took place. It was quite striking and interesting, being made up of prominent officials of the city and state, officers of the U. C. V. and U. S. C. V., military organizations, etc. It terminated at the City Hall, where the keys of the city, with due ceremony, were delivered to the Kaliph, and by him, in turn, to Gen. Gordon, as his representative during the Reunion.

On the afternoon of the 22nd, from 3 to 6 o'clock, elegant receptions to the Sponsors and Maids of Honor were given at the Dallas and Elks Clubs. These handsome quarters were beautifully decorated, and delightful refreshments and music were provided. All of the visiting ladies and gentlemen and many from the city attended, and the affairs were most enjoyable to all. The charming ladies of the party of our Sponsor-in-Chief held a levee during the reception at the Dallas Club, as did also the ladies of other official parties.

The crowning social events of the week were two elegant balls, held at Confederate Hall, at the Fair Grounds. The first of these, held on the night of the 22nd, was tendered by Camp "W. L. Cabell," of Dallas, complimentary to the Sponsors and Maids of Honor. It was a magnificent function in every respect. The hall was beautifully decorated and handsomely illuminated, the music was entertaining, the attendance was large and congenial, and everything combined to make the occasion perfectly delightful, in every respect. The camp is to be congratulated upon this charming entertainment. The grand march was led by Miss Mary Edmunds Sykes, our lovely Sponsor-in-Chief, who looked beautiful and queenly in an elegant Paris gown. Her partner was the Commander-in-Chief, Hon. R. B. Haughton. Dancing began immediately after the grand march, and was kept up until a very late hour.

The other ball was on the night of the 24th, and was given under the auspices of the Mystic Order of Kaliphs. It was, properly speaking, the official ball of the Reunion. The decoration and arrangement of the ball were, if possible, handsomer than on the occasion of the other ball. It was a most delightful affair throughout. Besides the usual features of an official ball, it had a very charming addition in the crowning of the Queen of the Kaliphate. At half past ten o'clock a blast of trumpets announced the royal party. At this signal the curtains which concealed the stage were drawn, and the king, queen and their courtiers, attired in gorgeous raiment and with handsome surroundings, were disclosed. The new queen was then escorted to the throne, where she was crowned by the king. The party then descended to the floor and marched with stately step around the hall, followed by their retinue, after which the dance was taken up. Miss Annie Gaston was the new queen, Miss Kate Schneider the abdicating queen and Mr. Royal A. Ferris the king.

On the afternoon of the 24th a charming reception, by the ladies of Dallas, was given at the Dallas Club to visiting ladies. This enjoyable event lasted from 3 to 7 p. m., and was largely attended.

The grand parade of the Mystic Order of Kaliphs took place on the night of the 23rd. It was a magnificent spectacle, con-

sisting of a procession of handsomely arranged and illuminated floats in nature similar to the parades of other Mystic orders. The general theme illustrated was, "What the Moon Saw." The scope of treatment was broad, including "The Bivouac of the Boys in Grey," "Fairy Land," "The Palace of the King," "Pluto's Realm," "Where Bacchus Reigns," "Flower Land," and similar fantastic representations. Seats were provided by the hospitable hosts at a convenient place along the line of march for all Sponsors and their partners, and they proved most delightful places from which to view the parade.

The official parade of the Reunion, on the morning of the 24th, is described elsewhere in full. It was a most magnificent and striking, as well as a most intensely interesting, spectacle.

On the night of the 25th, a most charming reception and dance, to a select party, including most of the principal Sponsors and their Maids of Honor who remained over for that purpose, was given at the Dallas Club. The festivities were prolonged far into the night, and it was a most delightful and entertaining event, in every respect.

There were numerous other smaller functions at various private houses, to which select parties were invited, and a great many other social amenities were shown us by the Dallas people. The theatres and other public places of amusement were patronized by a great many.

The members of the Dallas Club kindly placed their elegant quarters at the disposal of the Sponsors and Maids of Honor and other visiting ladies as social headquarters, generally, during their stay there, and those of the Elks Club showed like hospitality to our delegates and other members. This kindness was greatly appreciated and enjoyed.

The social centre of the Reunion, during all hours when special events were not going on, and particularly immediately preceding these events, was the Oriental Hotel, which was headquarters for all prominent official persons and parties. From two days before the beginning of the Reunion to two days after its close, this elegant and commodious hostelry was the theatre of a scene of social magnificence never equalled—certainly never surpassed—in the South. Beauty, grace, youth, refinement, elegance, chivalry, wisdom, wit, humor, thrust and repartee combined to make it the perfection of a social paradise.



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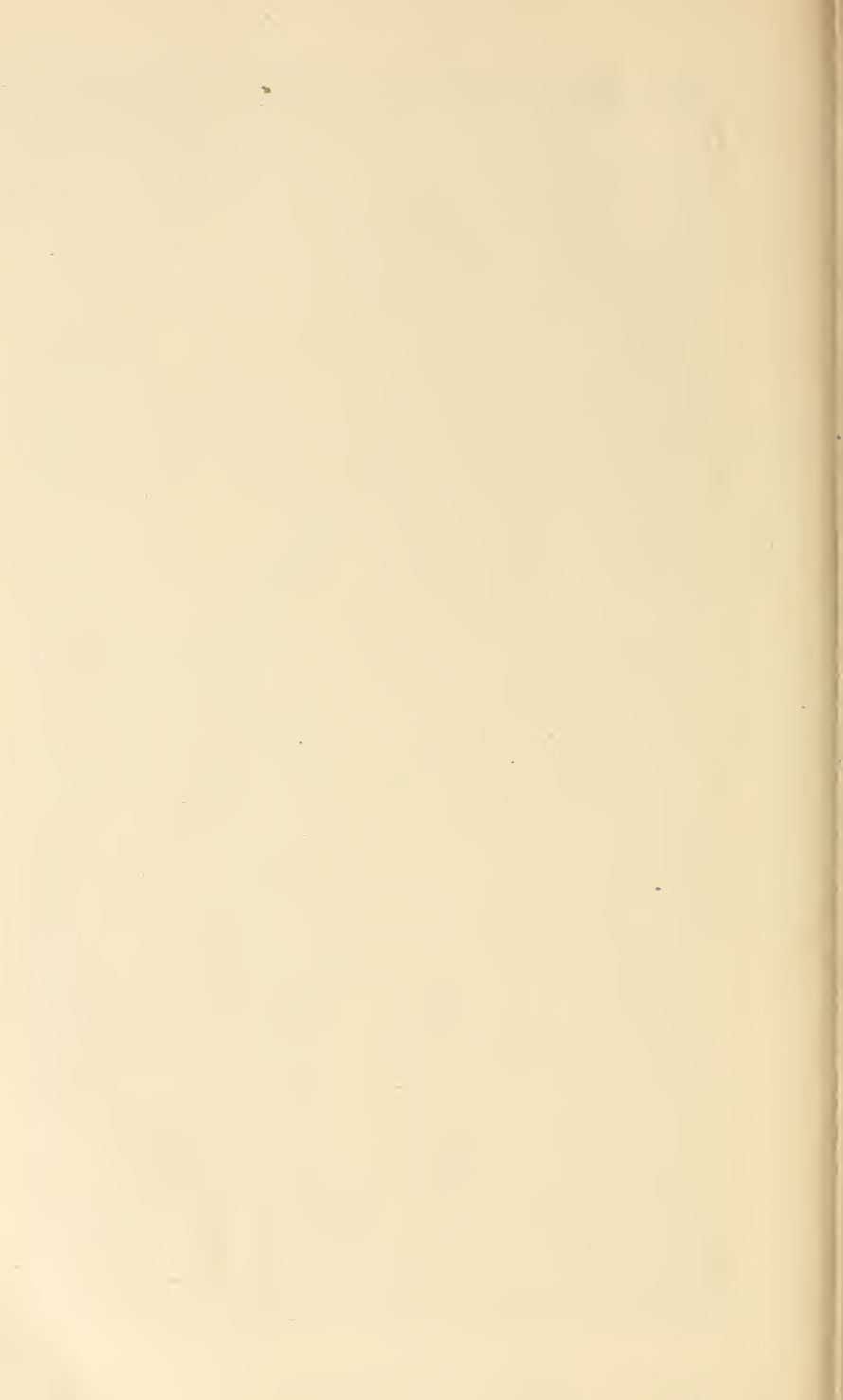
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REPORT OF MONUMENT COMMITTEE.

Conway, S. C., April 18, 1902.

To the Commander-in-Chief and Comrades of the U. S. C. V.:

Your Committee on Monument would respectfully beg to reiterate the sentiments expressed in our report at the last convention relative to our duty in erecting a suitable monument to the memory of the heroic soldiers of the "lost cause."

Our order has done much towards influencing legislation, and otherwise, whereby the worthy ex-Confederate has received needed relief. Aided by other Confederate organizations, it is also exerting a mighty power in the matter of correcting and preserving a true history of this unfortunate struggle. It yet remains for our Confederation of Sons to proceed to the erection of a lasting monument commemorative of the sacrifices made and the heroism displayed by our noble ancestors. This is a sacred duty we owe to our illustrious fathers, ourselves and to our posterity. It is one that we cannot afford to neglect, and one that we ought to assume with pleasure.

With these three objects consummated—Relief for every needy ex-Confederate; a true History of his warfare; and a Monument to his memory—our Confederation will have done much towards accomplishing the purposes for which it was organized.

It is not the desire of your committee to attempt a movement that may conflict or in any way interfere with the success of our undertaking to erect a Women's Memorial. This is a most glorious cause, and we have accordingly recommended that all available funds and contributions be directed to the assistance of Chairman Mann in the cause he has so ably and successfully championed.

Should the report of Col. Mann show funds in hand—actual and prospective—sufficient to guarantee the success and completion of the proposed Women's Memorial, we would most earnestly recommend that our organization take this matter up and forthwith proceed to inaugurate a movement for the erection of said proposed monument, the location of same to be determined by this body. Respectfully submitted,

D. A. SPIVEY, Chairman.

REPORT OF FINANCE COMMITTEE.

Dallas, Tex., April 24, 1902.

Judge R. B. Haughton, Commander-in-Chief, U. S. C. V.:

Dear Sir:—Your Committee to examine into the Finances of the United Sons of Confederate Veterans have gone over the books as

kept by the Quartermaster-General and find that the total collections for the past year amount to \$1,907.55, and the total expenditures amount to \$1,005.55, leaving a balance in the Treasury of \$902. A detailed report is herewith submitted, showing the total items of receipts and all items of expenditures.

Your Committee desire to compliment the Quartermaster-General on his efficiency and correctness, as well as on his economy in the handling of these funds. Respectfully submitted,

W. H. LANGFORD, Chairman.

General Orders of Commander-in-Chief R. B. Haughton.

(GENERAL ORDER NO. 1.)

St. Louis, Mo., June 24, 1901.

To the United Sons of Confederate Veterans:

Comrades—By virtue of election as Commander-in-Chief, at the General Reunion of 1901, held in Memphis, Tennessee, I hereby assume command of this organization.

General headquarters are hereby established at St. Louis, Missouri.

I hereby appoint William Horner Cocke, of 421 Olive Street, St. Louis, Missouri, as Adjutant-General and Chief of Staff.

In assuming command of this organization, I do so with a feeling of the greatest responsibility and solemnity. It is no small privilege or duty that lies before us. We have now assumed the proportions of a great army and we should conduct ourselves in a manner becoming those in such a great organization. We represent the flower of Southern young manhood. We represent more than that. We represent the Southern people of to-day; we represent the Confederate soldier, with all of his brilliant past; and we represent the grandeur and glory of the South as it was before and during the war between the States.

Such an exalted responsibility demands and has the highest appreciation and the greatest consecration to duty.

Sons of Confederate soldiers abate nothing of their duty to the Stars and Stripes, or to the magnificent commonwealth over which it floats. The records of its latest war show that Southern men bore aloft this banner as bravely and as proudly as it was ever borne. It is our flag and it is our country; and in the forefront of the fight, whether it be on the field of battle or in the diplomatic council, will be found those who belong to our ranks, and many of its most brilliant heroes will come, as they have come, from among those whose fathers followed the Stars and Bars.

But we have another duty to discharge. It is a duty to those who have done so much for us. It is a duty to those who reared and protected us. We will discharge that duty too. True loyalty to ourselves demands it. True loyalty to our existing government demands it—for he who is recreant to one trust will not prove faithful to another.

For four long years our fathers fought with the courage and endurance of Spartans for our Southland and for us. For four agonizing years our mothers toiled and suffered as never woman had suffered before. The record of those years shows a devotion to country and a brilliancy of action that stand unequaled in the history of the world. These have carved the name of the South high upon the walls of the Temple of Fame, and it shines there as a brilliant gem for future millions to admire.

They have given to us a Lee, who, like the immortal Washington, was "first in war, first in peace and first in the hearts of his countrymen." They have given to us a Jackson, who defied the Northern hosts, like Ajax, and who, against them, hurled his thunderbolts of war, like Jove. They have given to us a Forrest, who rode like the hurricane and who scattered his enemies like chaff. They have given to us a Semmes, who with his single ship was terror and master of all the seas. They have given to us a Polk, who stepped from the altar into the soldier's tent and whose sacerdotal robes were dyed with a patriot's blood. And they have given to us a Jefferson Davis, whose great heart and mind labored unceasingly for the Confederacy during its life, and who was always its bold champion and defender until the last tides of his life had ebbed away.

This is the grand heritage that is left to us, and the question comes, "What shall we do?" There is but one answer: We will accord the highest honor and respect to those who have so blessed us; we will forever declare that the motives of the Southern people, before and during the war, were as high and as pure as ever illumined the patriot's breast; we will always love to sing of the grandeur of our fathers; we will console and cheer the Confederate soldier who is now in misfortune; we will aid and succor those who are no longer able to help themselves; and we will labor with unceasing energies to see that the history of the people of the Confederacy is truly written and taught, and that they assume in the annals of the world the place rightfully belonging to them.

To do less than this would be to prove recreant to the trust descended to us from our fathers—to do less than this would be to convict ourselves of ingratitude.

Sons of Confederate heroes, it is to these privileges that I summon you! Stand up and discharge the duty that lies before you! Gird on your armor and show to the world that the courage, energy and devotion that animated the fathers live and flourish in the sons!

By order of, R. B. HAUGHTON, Commander-in-Chief.
(Official:) William Horner Cocke, Adjutant-General and Chief of Staff.

(GENERAL ORDER NO. 2.)

St. Louis, Mo., July 8, 1901.

To the United Sons of Confederate Veterans:

Comrades—The Annual Reunion of the Division of Missouri, United Confederate Veterans and United Sons of Confederate Veterans, will be held at Springfield, Missouri, August 8, 9 and 10, 1901.

This will be an event of more than local interest for several reasons. August 10th is the fortieth anniversary of the battle of Oak Hills (or Wilson's Creek), the severest engagement had west of the Mississippi River—and a Confederate victory. On that day will be unveiled the monument to the Confederate dead of the State, which has just been completed. This monument, costing nearly twenty thousand dollars, is one of the handsomest of its kind in the country. It is a magnificent piece of masonry, up to the bronze finial, and that is so commanding and inspiring that it at once challenges the admiration of everyone.

The monument stands in the beautiful Confederate Cemetery near that historic battlefield.

The United Confederate Veterans and the citizens of Springfield have sent special invitations to prominent members of that organization in all parts of the country, as well as to the ever-faithful women of the South, and they wish the occasion to be celebrated as one of general importance.

They extend a cordial invitation to all of the members of the United Sons of Confederate Veterans, in which the Division of Missouri, United Sons of Confederate Veterans, joins.

Your Commander-in-Chief takes pleasure in communicating this to you and in urging you to accept.

Springfield is a beautiful city in the heart of the beautiful Ozark Mountains, and its hospitality is as unbounded and as delightful as was that of the old-time South.

Railroad rates will be very low, and the other usual arrangements for reunions will be made. The city is fully large enough to accommodate all who will be present.

For information, address Dr. W. P. Patterson, Commandant, Springfield Camp, No. 189, U. S. C. V., Springfield, Mo.

By order of R B HAUGHTON, Commander-in-Chief.
(Official:) William Horner Cocke, Adjutant-General and Chief of Staff.

(GENERAL ORDER NO. 3.)

St. Louis, Mo., September 23, 1901.

To the United Sons of Confederate Veterans:

Comrades—The following appointments on the staff of the Commander-in-Chief are hereby made:

Inspector-General—Hon. L. H. Marrero, Jr., of New Orleans, La.
 Quartermaster-General—Stanley D. Pearce, Esq., of St. Louis, Mo.
 Commissary-General—J. Elliott Riddell, of Louisville, Ky.
 Judge-Advocate-General—Hon. G. T. Fitzhugh, of Memphis, Tenn.
 Surgeon-General—Dr. Walton S. Greene, of Aberdeen, Miss.
 Chaplain-General—Rev. Carter Helm Jones, of Louisville, Ky.

Assistant Adjutant-General—A. Thruston Burgevin, of Louisville, Ky.
 “ George S. Norfleet, of Winston-Salem, N. C.
 “ Hon. Andrew Armstrong Kincannon, of Columbus, Miss.
 “ Thomas C. Hindman, of Nashville, Tenn.
 “ Homer L. Higgs, of Greenfield, Tenn.
 “ Franklin Heiss, of Meridian, Miss.
 “ W. Scott Hancock, Esq., of St. Louis, Mo.
 “ Wm. H. Clark, Esq., of Dallas, Tex.
 “ Jesse N. Gathright, of Louisville, Ky.
 “ Edmund Maurin, Esq., of Donaldsonville, La.

Assistant Inspector-General—R. W. Meriwether, of Paragould, Ark.
 “ Capt. John Baxter McFarland, of Aberdeen, Miss.
 “ John N. Edwards, of St. Louis, Mo.
 “ Robert K. Gaston, of Dallas, Tex.
 “ Lawson Sykes, of Courtland, Ala.

Assistant Quartermaster-General—Hon. Ben. E. Cabell, of Dallas, Tex.
 “ John Lyford Horner, of Helena, Ark.
 “ Hon. Dudey M. Featherstone, of Holly Springs, Miss.
 “ R. E. L. Gano, Esq., of Dallas, Tex.
 “ Hamilton E. Reynolds, of Tuscaloosa, Ala.

Assistant Commissary-General—Hon. John A. Collinworth, of Humboldt, Tenn.
 “ Charles E. Hamilton, of Aberdeen, Miss.
 “ W. R. Percy, of St. Francisville, La.
 “ John W. Donelson, of Knoxville, Tenn.
 “ Thomas R. Shipp, of Hartselle, Ala.

Assistant Judge-Advocate-General—Hon. Jno. Ike Moore, of Helena, Ark.
 “ Hon. Lee Meriwether, of St. Louis, Mo.
 “ Hon. T. C. Gordon, of Dyersburg, Tenn.
 “ Robert M. Beattie, Esq., of Memphis, Tenn.
 “ E. O. Sykes, Jr., Esq., of Aberdeen, Miss.

Assistant Surgeon-General—Dr. David Humphreys, of Greenwood, Miss.
 “ Dr. Henry H. Duke, of Louisville, Ky.
 “ Dr. E. Michel Holder, of Memphis, Tenn.

Assistant Chaplain-General—Rev. W. T. Allan, D.D., of Springfield, Mo.
 Aide—Thomas E. Powe, of St. Louis, Mo.
 “ N. B. Forrest, of Memphis, Tenn.
 “ P. S. George, of Greenwood, Miss
 “ John McIntosh, of Richmond, Va.

The following appointments as Division Commander are hereby made:

Division of Missouri—James G. McConkey, of St. Louis, vice R. B. Haughton, elected Commander-in-Chief.

Division of Mississippi—W. E. Daniel, of Yazoo City.

Division of West Virginia—W. H. Kearfott, of Kearneysville.

Division of Arkansas—R. G. Pillow, of Little Rock, vice Hon W. M. Kavanaugh, elected Department Commander of The Trans-Mississippi Department.

Division of Alabama—Warwick H. Payne, of Scottsboro.

Division of North Carolina—Dr. John C. Rodman, of Washington.

The following have been elected Division Commanders since the last General Order, appointing Division Commanders:

Division of Tennessee—J. J. Bean, of Lynchburg.

Division of Texas—Thomas P. Stone, of Waco.

Division of South Carolina—Butler Hagood, of Barnwell.

Division of Louisiana—W. M. Barrow, of Baton Rouge.

By order of R. B. HAUGHTON, Commander-in-Chief.

(Official:) William Horner Cocke, Adjutant-General and Chief of Staff.

[GENERAL ORDER NO. 4.]

St. Louis, Mo., September 23, 1901.

To the United Sons of Confederate Veterans;

Comrades—It is the intention of the Commander-in-Chief to secure, during the coming year, the most active interest that is possible, in the various meetings of camps and in our organization generally. We are banded together for a purpose, and we should constantly keep in mind the duties and privileges which are before us.

One matter which should have immediate and unremitting attention is the diffusion of knowledge among our members and prospective members as to the most important events of the war and as to the legal and moral right of the Southern States to secede. While a great many are well informed as to these important matters, there are many who are not. The Commander-in-Chief believes that, if every son of a Confederate Soldier in the country knew as much about them as he should, there would be a wave of interest and enthusiasm towards our organization that would soon give us over 100,000 members and make us the strongest power in the Southern States.

To secure this end the Commander-in-Chief earnestly requests that all Camps arrange for, now, and carry out conscientiously, a series of meetings, one in each month, for the study of these matters. Other business may be attended to at these meetings; but make them principally for study and information. Select one or more members (or veterans) to prepare papers or give full accounts of the subject for the evening, and have them prepared to give minute descriptions of everything of importance to it. Diagrams, showing the various important positions of the opposing forces, should, by all means, be presented. Have these meetings for instruction and not for oratorical display. Give full notice of them beforehand, to members and others and have veterans, ladies, prospective members and all camp members present.

Have the papers that are prepared by members afterwards forwarded to the Commander-in-Chief, and he will inspect them carefully and make honorable mention of the three best, in order, in the following General Order, and in such city papers and Confederate journals as will publish it. To the person receiving the greatest number of these first places, during the term of the present Commander-in-Chief, will be presented a handsome medal commemorating this fact.

All camps will follow the same program, which is arranged as follows:

October, 1901—The First Battle of Bull Run.

November, 1901—The Peninsular Campaign.

December, 1901—The Battle of Seven Pines.

January, 1902—Jackson's Campaign in the Shenandoah.

February, 1902—The Seven Days' Battles Around Richmond.

March, 1902—The Second Battle of Bull Run.

April, 1902—The Battle of Shiloh.

May, 1902—The Vicksburg Campaign.

June, 1902—The Legal Right to Secede.

July, 1902—The Moral Right to Secede.

August, 1902—The Battle of Chickamanga.

September, 1902—The Virginia and The Monitor.

The Commander-in-Chief will take pleasure in giving a list of books and papers for reference, upon application.

Too much importance cannot be given to the matter of having your meetings at regular times and in inviting ladies and veterans to be present. The meetings should be as popular and well advertised as possible, and every effort made to have them the centre of the social life of the community.

Special attention is also called to the clause in our constitution in regard to securing the writing by veterans of their various experiences during the war. Nothing is more interesting or valuable than these personal reminiscences, and camps should do all that they can to secure such while these sturdy fighters are still with us.

Every General Order and other communication from the Commander-in-Chief should be read at the first meeting of the camp held after its receipt, and prompt action should be taken on all matters mentioned in it that can be acted on by the camp or its members.

Every camp, at least, and as many members as possible, should subscribe to some Confederate journal. In no other way can they keep in touch with events in our Order, or with those in kindred organizations; and the general fund of information contained in them is very valuable. "The Lost Cause," Louisville, Ky., and "The Veteran," Nashville, Tenn., publish regularly several columns concerning our organization, and will be found generally very interesting and instructive.

The Commander-in-Chief desires members (and others if they choose) to submit to him, some time before the first day of February next, designs for a banner for our general organization. The sum of five dollars will be paid for the design selected—for others, nothing will be paid; but they will be safely kept until that day and then returned at our expense.

Finally, my comrades, let me earnestly urge you to keep constantly before you the general purposes of our organization. Do all that you can to add to its progress; add continually to your membership; mention it to those in other places, and incite their interest in our work; take an active interest in the organization of new camps, and see personally that camps are established in all places in your vicinity that



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CHAIRMAN RECEPTION COMMITTEE,
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DALLAS, TEX.



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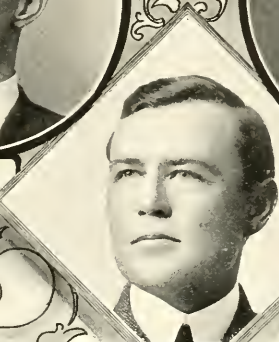
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CHAIRMAN PROGRAM COMMITTEE,
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EDW. M. TIGHE,
CHAIRMAN HOTEL COMMITTEE,
DALLAS, TEX.



R.K. GASTON,
ASST. INSPECTOR GENERAL AND
CHAIRMAN FINANCE COMMITTEE,
DALLAS, TEX.



are now without them; let each member undertake to organize a new camp (it is not too much); if your camp is behind in its dues, pay them up promptly; and at all times remember the great objects for which we are banded together, and the immense obligation which we are under to the heroic men who did so much for us in the years that are passed. We can never do enough to repay them—we must do what we can. Remember that you are the sons of Confederate soldiers, and make that (as it should be) a synonym for loyalty, gratitude, devotion, watchfulness, promptness, energy and liberality. I have confidence enough in the young men of the South to know that they will exert every effort to repay every debt that may rest upon them. Our organization is moving forward with rapid strides. Let every member add his help and be counted among the honored ones when we are rewarded for the full measure of duty done.

By order of R. B. HAUGHTON, Commander-in-Chief.

(Official:) William Horner Cocke, Adjutant-General and Chief of Staff.

(GENERAL ORDER NO. 5.)

St. Louis, Mo., November 25, 1901.

To the United Sons of Confederate Veterans:

Comrades—The Commander-in-Chief hereby announces the complete membership of the Standing and other Committees as follows:

HISTORICAL COMMITTEE.

William F. Jones, Chairman, Elberton, Ga.
 Prof. P. H. Mell, Auburn, Ala.
 Hon. Roy D. Campbell, Little Rock, Ark.
 Hon. Duncan U. Fletcher, Jacksonville, Fla.
 W. W. Davies, Esq., Louisville, Ky.
 W. H. McLellan, New Orleans, La.
 Hon. Monroe McClurg, Jackson, Miss.
 Frank B. Williams, Esq., Springfield, Mo.
 Prof. Chas. L. Coon, Salisbury, N. C.
 James A. Hoyt, Columbia, S. C.
 J. M. Harle, Morristown, Tenn.
 Brant H. Kirk, Esq., Waco, Texas.
 Judson S. Boshier, Richmond, Va.
 Montaine Broun, Esq., Charleston, W. Va.
 Wm. M. Franklin, Ardmore, I. T.
 C. L. Brown, Washington, D. C.

RELIEF COMMITTEE.

Robert G. Pillow, Chairman, Little Rock, Ark.
L. D. T. Quinby, Atlanta, Ga.
J. T. Chancellor, Marietta, I. T.
Ephraim H. Foster, Huntsville, Ala.
C. E. Worth, Tampa, Fla.
John M. Ashby, Owensboro, Ky.
M. E. Roger, Napoleonville, La.
T. H. Hazlehurst, Charleston, S. C.
Geo. H. Ezell, Columbus, Miss.
C. J. Wright, Esq., Springfield, Mo.
Wayne S. Ray, Asheville, N. C.
R. E. Lee Bynum, Union City, Tenn.
Ingram S. Roberts, Houston, Tex.
R. S. Blackburn Smith, Berryville, Va.
James M. Grantham, Middleway, Jefferson Co., W. Va.
T. J. Lee, Colorado Springs, Cal.

MONUMENTAL COMMITTEE.

D. A. Spivey, Chairman, Conway, S. C.
Howard P. Wright, Washington, D. C.
W. H. Rader, Lone Grove, I. T.
U. H. McLaws, Savannah, Ga.
R. J. Thurmon, Jr., Tusculumbia, Ala.
Hindman Biscoe, Helena, Ark.
B. C. Abernathy, Orlando, Fla.
Hood Harney, Lexington, Ky.
A. Villiert, Baton Rouge, La.
A. G. Yerger, Greenville, Miss.
James L. Robinson, Warrensburg, Mo.
J. C. Gorham, Fayetteville, N. C.
R. L. Matthews, Memphis, Tenn.
J. W. Marshall, Hillsboro, Texas.
T. W. Edwards, Leesburg, Va.
Cameron Lewis, Charleston, W. Va.

FINANCE COMMITTEE.

W. H. Langford, Chairman, Pine Bluff, Ark.
G. H. Collins, Davis, I. T.
R. J. Davant, Esq., Savannah, Ga.
Roger Ap. C. Jones, Selma, Ala.
C. N. Wilshands, Jacksonville, Fla.
Ben T. Head, Burgin, Ky.
A. F. Barrow, St. Francisville, La.
J. G. Wardlaw, Gaffney, S. C.

M. C. Knox, Water Valley, Miss.
Henry D. Green, West Plains, Mo.
M. DeL. Haywood, Raleigh, N. C.
J. L. Williams, Waxahatchie, Texas.
Hon. T. H. Edwards, West Point, Va.
A. W. Gatewood, Marlinton, W. Va.
W. R. Kivett, Colorado Springs, Colo.

WOMEN'S MEMORIAL COMMITTEE

James Mann, Esq., Chairman, Nottoway, Va.
Yatis Snowden, Charleston, S. C.
Eldridge E. Wright, Esq., Memphis, Tenn.
Hon. Wm. McL. Fayssoux, New Orleans, La.
Hamilton N. Branch, Savannah, Ga.
Dr. W. P. Patterson, Springfield, Mo.
Leon McCord, Scottsboro, Ala.
George B. Myers, Holly Springs, Miss.
H. T. Alexander, Columbia, Tenn.
Hon. John Ike Moore, Helena, Ark.
R. Hayne King, Waco, Tex.
N. R. Tisdal, Ardmore, I. T.
Hon. Robert Worth Bingham, Louisville, Ky.
Thomas T. Stockton, Jacksonville, Fla.
W. H. Kearfott, Kearneysville, W. Va.
J. H. Foote, Jr., Winston, N. C.

CONSTITUTIONAL COMMITTEE.

Hon. Walter T. Colquitt, Chairman, Atlanta, Ga.
Judge R. W. Nicholls, Helena, Ark.
Edwin P. Cox, Esq., Richmond, Va.

A copy of this General Order will be mailed to all members of these committees. Each chairman is requested to take up the work of his committee actively; and each committeeman is requested to co-operate zealously with his chairman in the same.

Suggestions as to changes in our constitution should be sent to the chairman of the Constitutional Committee. This committee will report at the General Reunion, to be held in Dallas, Tex., in April, 1902.

At the last reunion of that Division, J. C. Graham, of Ardmore, was elected Division Commander of the Division of Indian Territory.

The Commander-in-Chief takes pleasure in reporting that in response to a call by Comrade Thomas M. Owen, of Montgomery, Ala., a meeting was held in that city recently, composed of representatives from the United Confederate Veterans, the United Daughters of the

Confederacy and the United Sons of Confederate Veterans, of that Division, to take joint action upon matters pertaining to the historical work of these organizations. A joint permanent committee was organized and Comrade Owen was elected chairman. A very enthusiastic meeting was held. Strong resolutions were adopted advocating a more general study of Confederate history, by young and old, in the home and in schools, and the correction of errors in all published works (particularly school books). An address was prepared and ordered distributed throughout the State, especially to school teachers, superintendents, etc., and the chairman was instructed to confer with publishers with a view to the accomplishment of the ends of the committee. Many publishers have shown keen interest in the matter and great good will undoubtedly be accomplished. The committee will hold two regular meetings each year and special meetings if necessary. It is hereby urged that our comrades and committeemen in other divisions follow this admirable example.

Special attention is called to the course of meetings laid out in General Order No. 4, providing for a study of the principal events of the war. Hearty responses have been received from a great many camps, and all are urged to make a special feature of these meetings. There is nothing else that will so strengthen a camp, or increase the zeal of its members. This work is in line with the action of the joint committee above referred to. A paper read by Comrade Neville S. Bullitt, before camp "John A. Broadus," Louisville, Ky., on "The First Battle of Bull Run," deserves and has high commendation. Other papers were by those not members, or came to late for mention herein.

The Commander-in-Chief takes pleasure in announcing that the growth of our organization, in all respects, is most gratifying and our work is becoming more effective each month. All comrades are asked to join in and help the officers and committeemen. There is work for everyone.

By order of R. B. HAUGHTON, Commander-in-Chief.
(Official:) William Horner Cocke, Adjutant-General and Chief of Staff.

(GENERAL ORDER NO. 6.)

St. Louis, Mo., November 30, 1901,

To the United Sons of Confederate Veterans:

Comrades—The most striking thing in connection with the War of the Secession was the conduct of the women of the South. But for their loyalty, devotion and inspiration, the armies of the Confederacy would have made no such brilliant record as they did. Take out of it the

sufferings and privations which they endured and the war is robbed of half of its terrors. The records of their courage, arduous labors and self-sacrifice are the brightest pages of its history.

Not only that; but since the close of the war, they have been the ones who have cared for needy old soldiers, have built monuments to commemorate the glories of the Confederacy and of its people and have, year after year, with loving and gentle hands, strewn with fair flowers the graves of its soldiers who had answered to the last roll; and it has been largely their unceasing demand that has caused the organization of Southern societies to right the wrongs that histories had recorded against the Southern people.

As a partial return for their constancy, devotion and heroism, our organization has pledged itself to commemorate them in an enduring form. Had we not already done this, every sense of duty would impel us to it; but having taken up the task, we will complete it fully, conscientiously and promptly.

A great many camps made subscriptions for this (and most liberal ones too), at the last reunion. If there are any of these who have not yet remitted, those are urged to hold a special meeting at once (or proceed in such other way as will most surely and quickly raise the money), secure the full amount and remit it at once.

Camps which have not subscribed are asked to make a subscription, at once, and pay it as soon as possible. No member of our organization can afford to be found missing from the roll of contributors to this grand cause. The Commander-in-Chief believes that we have not a single member who is not only willing but anxious to do so. No cause was ever presented to the sons of Southern men that should more strongly appeal to them; and we should show, at once, in this, that we still have the chivalric spirit of our fathers.

The chairman of the committee on Women's Memorial is James Mann, Esq., Nottoway, Va. Subscriptions and remittances should be sent to him, or to the committeeman of the division from which sent.

To do ourselves justice, we should have \$10,000.00 reported in hand at the next reunion. Every member of our organization can and should contribute at least one dollar to the fund. Many camps have averaged more than double that amount, and several individual comrades have given from \$10.00 to \$100.00 each.

During the past few years, a custom has grown up among our members of addressing our Division and Department Commanders as "Major-General" and "Lieutenant-General," respectively, and the Commander-in-Chief as "General," and of giving various military titles to subordinate officers. This has been encouraged, unintentionally perhaps, by many of the veterans who have used such titles in addressing our officers. While those of our members who have attained official po-

sition are entitled to be honored by an appropriate title, we should be careful in selecting such not to adopt designations that will do injustice to others. There are still living among us (we are happy to remember) a great many heroic men who have earned the right to high military title by service in actual warfare. Any appropriation by us of the titles properly belonging to them necessarily deprives them to that extent of the honor attaching to these titles. There are other reasons why we should discontinue this custom which will readily suggest themselves to all. For these reasons, the Commander-in-Chief announces that in future he will carefully abstain from the use of such titles in addressing our officers, and he requests that other members adopt the same course. Until our constitution shall be changed (if a change is desired), providing short and distinctive titles for our officers, we should use those designated in the present constitution. The fact that a great many of the veterans object to this custom will, without doubt, cause all of our members to discontinue it, were other reasons insufficient. It may be added that many of our comrades have expressed a similar objection.

Article XII, Section 67, of the constitution, provides for a badge for our members. Arrangements have been perfected for having these very handsomely made, and they can be promptly secured from headquarters. A circular showing the two styles is herewith enclosed. The prices of the style with bar is \$2.00; of that without, \$1.50. Every comrade should have one.

Every officer of our organization who is not already provided with one, should apply to headquarters for his official commission. Blank forms, in colors, on handsome bond paper, have recently been provided for these and they will be issued promptly. This applies to all officers, whether general staff, subordinate staff, department, division, brigade, camp, elected, appointed, or of whatever nature. The charge is \$1.00 each; if engrossed in Old English letters, \$1.25 each.

Each member, whether an officer or not, is entitled to an official certificate of membership upon application. The charge for this is \$1.00.

In remitting for these, as well as in all other cases of remittance, send P. O. order, or New York or St. Louis exchange. On all other paper, a discount is charged, that in the aggregate is a heavy draft upon our resources.

The attention of our comrades is called to Dr. Charles L. C. Minor's pamphlet, entitled "The Real Lincoln," edited by Miss Kate Mason Rowland, Chestnut Hill, Richmond, Va., and specially recommended by the Committee on History of the United Daughters of the Confederacy. It gives a true description of Abraham Lincoln as he really was, and should be read by all of our members. The edition is limited to 1,000 copies, and is now over half subscribed. Orders should go in at once. The price is 35 cents.

Upon the suggestion of comrades feeling the lack of this, the Commander-in-Chief requests that all of the officers of our organization and as many of the other members as may desire so to do endeavor to keep in touch with each other by means of the interchange of letters, general orders, circulars, newspaper articles, etc. Let all in each Division try to become as well acquainted with each other as possible, and also cultivate a closer acquaintance with those in other Divisions. A free interchange of ideas will help all and will strengthen our general organization. The Commander-in-Chief will be glad to hear from any comrade who may have suggestions to offer. He will endeavor to reply to all who may ask for information; but should he fail to answer in other cases, it is hoped that his silence will be excused. The labor of his office is extremely great and the expense of correspondence heavy. For these reasons, he endeavors to curtail both as much as possible. Matters of special importance are given precedence; and if time and expense will not warrant attention to other matters, he is forced to let them wait. It is this that has caused him in the past to fail to reply to many kind communications which were greatly appreciated by him. He hopes that he will be pardoned for this.

A suggestion is also made that some plan be devised by which an opportunity will be given for the veterans and our members to see more of each other and of the proceedings of both organizations at general reunions. The Commander-in-Chief will be glad to have suggestions as to some method of securing this.

By order of R. B. HAUGHTON, Commander-in-Chief.
(Official:) William Horner Cocke, Adjutant-General and Chief of Staff.

(GENERAL ORDER NO. 7.)

St. Louis, Mo., February 15, 1902.

To the United Sons of Confederate Veterans:

Comrades—Our constitution provides: "There shall be held annually a Re-union of the Confederation at the same time and place as the "United Confederate Veterans."

Therefore, the Commander-in-Chief announces that the United Sons of Confederate Veterans will hold their Seventh Annual Reunion in Dallas, Tex., on April 22d, 23d, 24th and 25th, 1902. This will be the greatest Re-union which we have ever held, and every camp is expected to send delegates. Article X, Section 56, provides that each camp shall have one delegate to every ten (10) active members in good standing, and an additional one for a fraction thereof of five (5) members or more—provided that every camp in good standing shall be en-

titled to at least two (2) delegates. To obtain recognition, delegates must have credentials signed by the commandant and adjutant of their respective camps attached to which shall be the certificate of the adjutant-general, showing representation allowed and payment of dues, as provided in Sections 56 and 57.

The constitution further provides that blank muster-rolls must be sent to the various camps at least sixty days before the Re-union, which must be filled out by the adjutant of the camp, certified as the correct roll and returned to the adjutant-general before the first day of the month preceding the Re-union. The representation of the camp is computed upon the number of members shown by the rolls and the payment of dues, and a certificate to that effect is sent to the camp by the adjutant-general.

A blank muster-roll is enclosed herewith, which should be properly filled out and forwarded at once to the adjutant-general, together with the per capita tax (or dues) of ten (10) cents for each member. Should members be enrolled thereafter, a list of them, together with the proper per capita tax, sent to the adjutant-general, will secure additional representation based upon them. A blank form for credentials is also enclosed.

The official badge of the Confederation can be secured from the Commander-in-Chief promptly. Made in the form of a button, the charge is \$1.50, as a pendant, with bar, \$2.00.

Commissions to officers and certificates to members are \$1.00 each; if engrossed in Old English, \$1.25 each.

Railroad rates to the Re-union will be one cent per mile, or less.

Members are notified, again, of the general revision of our constitution, which will be made at this Reunion upon the report of the Committee on Revision.

In the past few years, the hospitable people who have entertained the guests attending General Reunions have been more than overburdened with the extra work put upon them by various camps, divisions, etc., sending a large number of maids of honor and failing to send escorts to properly care for them. It is estimated that the total number of sponsors and maids of honor at the Memphis Re-union was 8,000. In justice to our hosts, we should limit ourselves in this regard. The Commander-in-Chief, therefore, requests that the following rule be observed by our Confederation, to-wit: For the General Confederation, a sponsor-in-chief and three maids of honor, with a chaperon; for Departments, a sponsor and two maids of honor, with a chaperon; for Divisions, a sponsor and one maid of honor, with a chaperon; for brigades, a sponsor and one maid of honor, with a chaperon, (the brigade commander to see that two escorts are sent if he does not attend—if he does, one escort); for camps, a sponsor, with a chaperon, (the camp in



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ALBERT C. BURKE,
QUARTERMASTER, CAMP "W.L. CABELL"
DALLAS, TEX.



REV. J. FRANK SMITH,
CHAPLAIN, CAMP "W.L. CABELL"
DALLAS, TEX.



MRS. HUNTER CRAYCROFT,
CHAMBERLAIN, CAMP "W.L. CABELL"
DALLAS, TEX.

all cases, to send at least one escort); for the camps at Dallas and Ft. Worth, each, a sponsor and as many maids of honor as may be preferred, with a chaperon.

We cannot, of course, limit the number who may be appointed by the United Confederate Veterans, and we should, therefore, be most careful to restrict our own number.

Numerous inquiries have come to the general headquarters as to whether, or not, our Confederation has an official uniform, and numerous requests that one be adopted. In response to what seems to be the overwhelming preponderance of sentiment among our members, the Commander-in-Chief appointed, to consider and report upon the matter, the following Committee on Uniform:

H. N. Spencer, Jr., St. Louis, Mo., Chairman.

W. Christy Hutchinson, St. Louis, Mo.

William A Beall, St. Louis, Mo.

Charles D. Mitchell, St. Louis, Mo.

Norman L. Lincoln, St. Louis, Mo.

The committee have recommended that the following be adopted as the official uniform of our Confederation, viz.: The same uniform, insignia, trappings, etc., as have been adopted by the United Confederate Veterans, with the following exceptions and additions: For all members (officers and privates), shoulder-straps (one on each shoulder) of white wool cloth with gold border and the letters "U. S. C. V." in the centre; "U. C. V." buttons, or ordinary military buttons without lettering (the latter preferred), until buttons stamped "U. S. C. V." can be provided; lettering wherever it may occur on the uniform, "U. S. C. V." instead of "U. C. V."; and hat the same as that used by the U. C. V., or a gray, confederate cap, at the option of the camp, or wearer.

The Commander-in-Chief hereby approves their report and recommends this uniform to our members for universal use. The committee in their action were influenced by two considerations, viz.: To adopt a uniform which would perpetuate that in use in the Confederate Army, for the information and gratification of ourselves and our descendants; and to provide some prominent mark that will distinguish our members from veterans. The uniform secures the former, and the white shoulder-straps effectually and neatly secure the latter.

Arrangements have been made with J. F. Shipp, Quarter-Master-General, U. C. V., Chattanooga, Tenn., for furnishing these uniforms at very low prices. Members will receive prompt attention by writing to him. A circular giving general information will soon be sent out. Orders should be sent in as soon as possible, so that they may be filled with certainty.

The appropriate uniforms, insignia, etc., for the officers named are as follows:

FOR

2d Lieut. Commander,
Quartermaster,
Historian.

THOSE OF

1st Lieut. Commander,
Adjutant,
Adjutant.

For all other officers and members, the appropriate uniform is provided and designated in the circular.

Further information will be given on request.

The District of Columbia was, on December 9th, 1901, organized as a Division, upon the recommendation of Department Commander, Edwin P. Cox, and Thomas Raleigh Raines, of Washington, appointed as Division Commander.

D. E. Luther Publishing Co., of Atlanta, Ga., have recently issued a fine publication by William C. Chase, entitled "Story of Stonewall Jackson." It is replete with interesting and well-executed illustrations, and is approved by his widow, Mary Anna Jackson. His grandchildren are, in part, beneficiaries of the moneys received from its sale. The publication and its purpose are commended to our members.

The Dallas people are making the most elaborate preparations for the Remmon, and in order to give time for everything, it will continue one day longer than heretofore. Let every camp be represented there. It will be the most delightful and entertaining experience ever had by those attending. The Division of West Virginia will have special cars. Others should join in with them.

By order of R. B. HAUGHTON, Commander-in-Chief.

(Official:) William Horner Cocke, Adjutant-General and Chief of Staff.

(GENERAL ORDER NO. 8.)

St. Louis, Mo., March 22, 1902.

To the United Sons of Confederate Veterans:
Comrades:

On February 19th, 1902, Chilton Atkinson, Esq., Bank of Commerce Building, St. Louis, Mo., was appointed Division Commander of the Division of Missouri.

On March 15th, 1902, Captain John S. Maxwell, of Jacksonville, Florida, was appointed Division Commander of the Division of Florida.

On March 20th, 1902, Dr. W. D. Buckner, of Pine Bluff, Arkansas, was appointed Department Commander of the Trans-Mississippi Department, vice Hon. Wm. M. Kavanaugh, resigned.

The Commander-in-Chief has been highly complimented by a number of comrades who have urged him to permit them to present his name for re-election and have offered him their cordial support for the same. He appreciates the compliment, but he feels that it is best to decline. The office is a very high one, and there are a great many men in our organization who are well qualified to fill it. No one member should monopolize the honors of our Confederation. He believes, therefore, that he should step aside and give some one else the privilege

of enjoying this one. He thanks sincerely the various comrades who have given him their aid in the administration of the office during his term, and particularly those who have offered their support at the coming election; and he wishes his successor the same pleasant experience which he has had. He feels, however, that his name should not be presented for the office, and he will not permit it to be done. Neither will he accept the office if elected without his consent. He feels that this would not be just to those whose friends may have prosecuted their claims to the office.

Extensive preparations are rapidly being made, by the Dallas people, for the General Reunion, and it will be a most magnificent affair in every respect.

The reunion proceedings will begin on April 22d. A reception to the sponsors and maids of honor will be given by our hall and other committees at the Dallas and Elks' Club, in the afternoon of the 22d. On the night of the 22d, W. L. Cabell Camp, U. S. C. V., of Dallas, will give a handsome ball, complimentary to the sponsors and maids of honor. This is a very great compliment on the part of that Camp, and should receive the sincerest thanks of our members. On the night of the 23d, the celebrated Mystic Order of Kaliphs will give a magnificent parade, rivaling in beauty and splendor any that has ever been seen in this country. This will combine the attractions of a Mardi-Gras festival with those of a reunion. The official parade of the veterans will take place on the morning of the 24th. Our members will participate in that in the customary way. The grand ball of the Reunion will be given on the night of the 24th. Among other interesting events at this will be the selection and crowning of the Queen of the Kaliphate.

One of the unique features of the Reunion will be a dinner on the 25th, at which barbecued buffalo meat will be served. For this will be used nearly all of the buffaloes now to be found in this country.

SPONSORS AND MAIDS OF HONOR.—W. L. Cabell Camp, of Dallas, with magnificent hospitality, will entertain, at the Oriental Hotel, at their own expense, the sponsor and one maid of honor for each division and department, and for the General Confederation. This great generosity is most highly commendable, and is one illustration of the activity being displayed by the citizens there for the reunion. It should receive the highest praise from all our members.

HEADQUARTERS.—Division and department sponsors and the sponsor-in-chief, with the ladies of their parties, will have headquarters at the Oriental Hotel. General headquarters of the Commander-in-Chief and his staff will be at the Oriental Hotel—as will be also those of department and division commanders. It is urged that all who wish accommodations there (or elsewhere) should write at once for them.

ESCORTS.—All officers are requested to furnish as many escorts as they can for the ladies of their respective parties. They will please

notify at once the chairman of the Escort Committee, Manning B. Shannon, of the number of ladies who will attend in their party, and how many of them will be provided with escorts. This is a very important matter and should receive prompt attention. We must supply escorts not only for the ladies officially connected with our organization, but also for those appointed by the veterans.

For general information the names of the various chairmen of committees are herewith given. Correspondence should be had with them at once as to matters under their respective jurisdictions.

U. C. V.

Horses and Carriages—Cornette Wheat.
Hotels and Accommodations—A. J. Brown.
Ladies—Mrs. J. R. Currie.
Information—John F. Worley.
Parade and Review—A. P. Wozencraft.
Transportation—C. A. Keating.

U. S. C. V.

Ball—T. L. Camp.
Invitation—Wm. H. Flippin.
Escort—Manning B. Shannon.
Parade—Major L. S. Flateau.
Entertainment—E. Dick Slaughter.
Hotels, Etc.—E. M. Tighe.
Reception—Lewis M. Dabney.
Program—R. E. L. Gano.
Finance—R. K. Gaston.
Information—A. S. Wagner.
Horses—Walker Edwards.
Badges, Etc.—Paul M. Galloway.

The city of Dallas has in the Oriental one of the most commodious and magnificent hotels in the West. It will be found most adequate for the exigencies of this occasion. The Grand Windsor and the St. George are also large hotels, and the city has a number of others, large and small. The citizens there, generally, will open their doors to all who come. Extensive preparations are being made to prepare school-houses and other large buildings for use as temporary barracks, and a large number of tents have been secured for similar purposes. The city of Fort Worth is distant only one hour's ride, and arrangements will be made to accommodate a great many visitors there and to furnish rapid street-car and railroad service between the two points. The two cities combined have a population of about 130,000, and can easily accommodate all who may attend.

R. E. Lee Camp, of Fort Worth, has appointed committees to actively co-operate with the Dallas people in handling the reunion. This enterprising camp will have a membership of about 1,500 by the beginning of the reunion.

Railroad rates will be one cent per mile from points outside of Texas, and only slightly higher from points within the State. An extension to May 15th can be secured upon the payment of fifty cents.

Everything points to a most magnificent reunion in every respect. Let all members and camps make their arrangements, at once, to attend. Increase the membership of your own camp. Pay up your per capita tax and secure certificates so that your delegates can receive proper recognition and can cast their votes. Reach out to neighboring places and organize camps where there are none. Our organization has less than 350 camps. We are far more numerous than the veterans, and yet they have over 1,300. This is a reflection upon every son of a Confederate soldier, whether he is one of our members or not, and they should step in at once and see that we do our duty in this respect. Organization is simple and easy. Write to the commander-in-chief at once for the necessary papers. It will be greatly to our discredit if we have less than 500 camps by the time of the reunion.

Let every son of a Confederate soldier prepare to attend this gathering and do honor to the men who have made the name of the South great. The grey hairs and grizzled locks of the veterans who will march past in the great parade adorn the heads of those who fought the greatest fight that history records. Theirs is a record that the grandest of men might well recall with envy, and the time is fast coming when their opponents in the fight will concede that the soldiers of the South were the most loyal patriots that the world has ever known. See their bright, clear eyes and stalwart forms (though bearing the weight of years), and know that their hearts are strong and tender and true; hear the record of their lives, during and since that great conflict; and then go to your homes proud of the fact that you are the son of a Confederate soldier. The true Southern son does not live who does not glory in the fact that his father fought under the Stars and Bars.

By order of

R. B. HAUGHTON, Commander-in-Chief.

(Official:) William Horner Cocke, Adjutant-General and Chief of Staff.

(GENERAL ORDER NO. 9.)

St. Louis, Mo., April 8, 1902.

To the United Sons of Confederate Veterans:

Comrades:—All of the ladies officially connected with our organization are invited to be present at the opening session of the United Confederate Veterans, which will be held at the Fair Grounds, at 10 o'clock on the morning of April 22d. Special seats have been arranged there

for the ladies and their escorts. The Commander-in-Chief and the Department and Division Commanders and their staff officers are invited to be upon the platform. The address of welcome to the United Sons of Confederate Veterans will be a part of this session. It will be delivered by Senator W. C. McKamey, of Dallas County. All of the rest of our proceedings will take place at the City Hall, corner of Commerce and Akard streets, opposite the Oriental Hotel. No business session will be held by us on the afternoon of the 22d. At 2 o'clock on that afternoon, receptions to the sponsors and maids of honor will be given at the Dallas and Elks Clubs. Our first business session will begin at 10 a. m. on April 23d. All sponsors and maids of honor are invited to be present.

On the night of the 22d, the grand ball given by Camp "W. L. Cabell," of Dallas, complimentary to the sponsors and maids of honor, will take place at Confederate Hall, at the Fair Grounds.

PROGRAMME, WEDNESDAY, APRIL 23D.

MORNING—10 O'CLOCK. Meeting of delegates at the City Hall, corner Commerce and Akard Streets, opposite the Oriental Hotel.

All sponsors and the ladies of their parties are invited and expected to be present at this hour. They will assemble in the parlors of the Oriental Hotel at 9:45 a. m., and will be escorted to the platform by the Escort Committee, under the leadership of Manning B. Shannon, Chairman. All of these ladies are at all times welcome to seats upon our platform, and their presence is particularly requested.

1. Convention called to order by Harry L. Seay, Esq., Commandant of Camp W. L. Cabell, No. 49, U. S. C. V., of Dallas.

2. Invocation by Assistant Chaplain—General Rev. W. T. Allan, D. D., of Sedalia, Mo.

3. Commandant Seay turns command over to J. P. Moulden, of McKinney, Commander 4th Brigade of Texas.

4. Brigade Commander Moulden turns command over to Thomas P. Stone, Esq., of Waco, Commander of Division of Texas.

5. Division Commander Stone turns command over to Dr. W. D. Buckner, of Pine Bluff, Ark., Commander of the Trans-Mississippi Department.

6. Department Commander Buckner turns command over to R. B. Haughton, Commander-in-Chief, who accepts final command.

7. Response to the address of welcome, by Hon. Jared Y. Sanders, of New Orleans, Speaker of the House of Representatives of the State of Louisiana.

8. Appointment of committee to extend greeting to the United Confederate Veterans in convention assembled.

9. Roll call by the Adjutant-General of the general officers of the Confederation and of its Camps, in numerical order. As the camps are called, the chairman of each delegation will answer and hand the credentials of his delegation, together with the certificate, showing payment of the per capita tax to the Adjutant-General.

10. Appointment by Commander-in-Chief of the Committee on Credentials, to consist of one delegate from each division. Division Commanders are requested to make suggestions for these appointments. This committee will immediately retire and prepare its report as speedily as possible.

Should the Convention not proceed thus far on this morning, it will begin in the afternoon where it left off in the morning; should it be able to proceed further it will do so.

This rule will be adhered to throughout the entire programme, so that our business may be expedited as much as possible. The arrangement as to time, as printed, is tentative only.

AFTERNOON—2 O'CLOCK. Business resumed at the City Hall.

1. Reports of the Adjutant-General, Inspector-General, Quartermaster-General, Commissary-General, Judge-Advocate-General, Surgeon-General and Chaplain-General.

2. Reports of Standing Committees as follows:

Historical Committee—William F. Jones, chairman.

Relief Committee—Robert G. Pillow, chairman.

Monumental Committee—D. A. Spivey, chairman.

Finance Committee—W. H. Langford, chairman.

3. Report of Committee on Uniform—H. N. Spencer, Jr., chairman.

4. Report of Women's Memorial Committee—James Mann, chairman.

All camps are requested to make subscriptions to the fund being raised under the management of this committee. It is the grandest movement yet begun by us. Those who subscribed last year should subscribe again this year, and those who have not yet subscribed should make a large subscription now.

5. Report of Constitutional Committee.

6. General Business.

On the night of the 23d the magnificent parade of the Kalipis will take place. Seats have been arranged for the Sponsors and Maids of Honor to witness it.

THURSDAY, APRIL 24TH.

MORNING—10 O'CLOCK. Grand parade of the United Confederate Veterans and United Sons of Confederate Veterans.

Details of this, together with instructions as to place of formation, will be given in a general order to be issued at Dallas.

AFTERNOON—2 O'CLOCK. Business resumed at the City Hall.

1. General business.

2. Election of Officers—Commander-in-Chief and Department Commanders of the Army of Northern Virginia, Army of Tennessee and Trans-Mississippi Departments, in order.

On the night of the 24th the official ball of the Veterans, under the auspices of the Kaliphs, will be given at Confederate Hall, at the Fair Grounds. The selection and crowning of the Queen of the Kaliphate will be one of its features.

FRIDAY, APRIL 25TH.

MORNING—10 O'CLOCK. Business resumed at the City Hall, if necessary, to complete the work of the Convention.

The dinner at the Fair Grounds on this day will include the unique course of barbecued Buffalo meat.

It is beyond question that the reunion will be the largest and most magnificent ever held. Our organization will certainly have its largest attendance. From all parts of the country come reports of preparations for attending, organization of clubs of various kinds, arrangements for uniforms and inquiries of all kinds. A great many letters, glowing with enthusiasm have been received and the number is increasing every day. The division of West Virginia will come in special cars; "Sterling Price" Camp, of St. Louis, will have several handsomely decorated special cars; the division of Louisiana will have a special train; and N. B. Forrest Camp from Memphis, Tenn., will have a special train, bringing a company of the National Guard, a trumpet corps, and about 300 members. They will bring tents for their use. One company will attend as a troop of cavalry. Camps are urged to have their members uniformed as generally as may be possible, and to bring marching clubs, drum corps, bands, etc., with them.

The organization of new camps is progressing very rapidly. The movement is growing in every direction and our membership will be vastly increased by April 22d. A camp has recently been chartered at Los Angeles, Cal., and others are forming in Hartford, Conn., and Brookline, Mass. Many camps already formed are adding greatly to their membership. Those at Dallas and Ft. Worth will have about 1,500 members each and others are growing in proportion. Every one who expects to attend the reunion should first join one of our camps. While all will be welcome there our members and delegates will have many privileges which others cannot get. If there is no camp in their locality let them organize one. The Commander-in-Chief will send all necessary blanks promptly on request.

Railroad rates from points outside of the State of Texas will be only one cent per mile, and from points within the State very little



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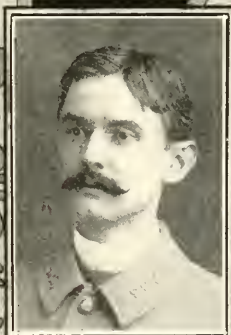
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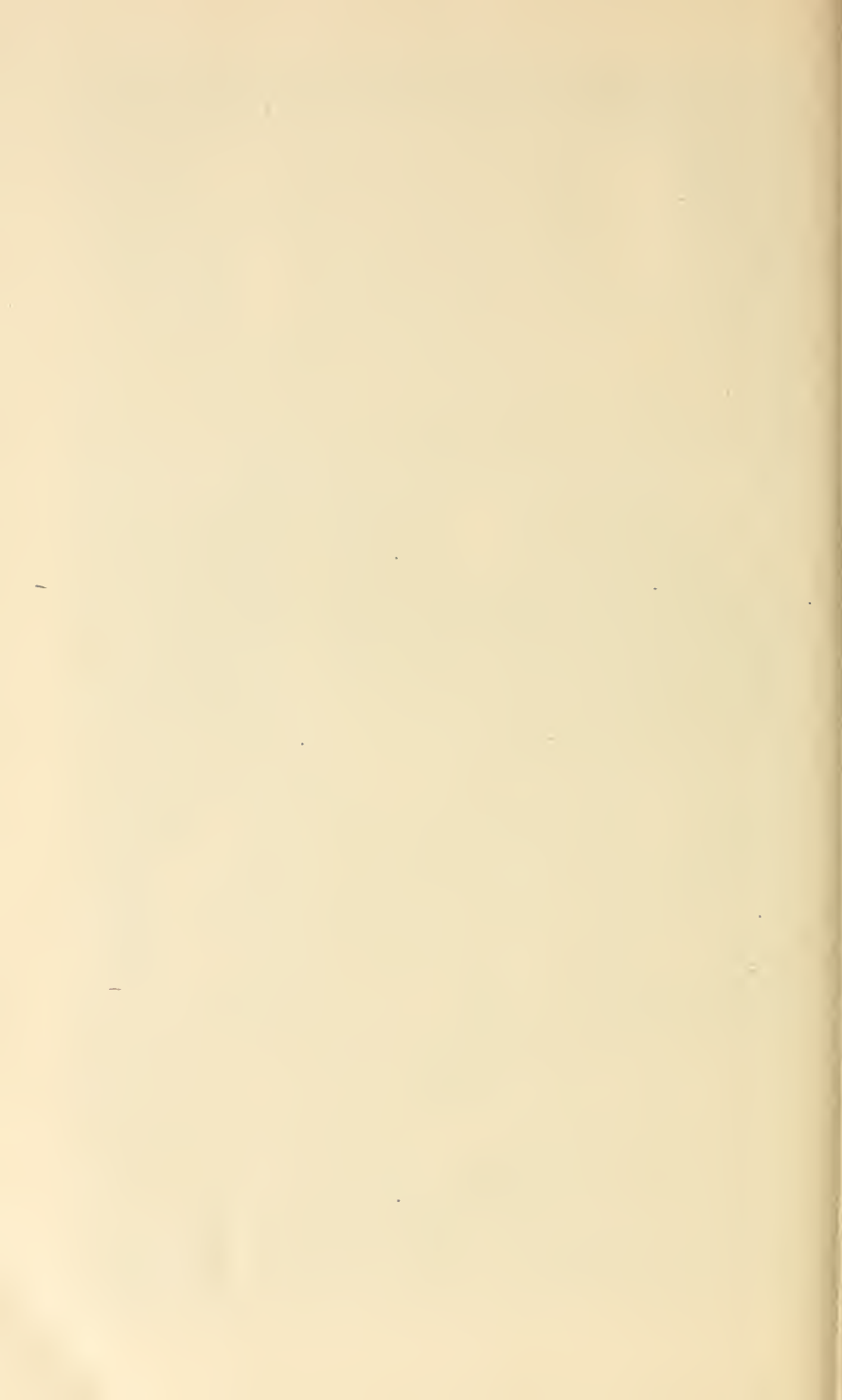
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ASS'T DIV. QUARTERMASTER-W.VA.
LEWISBURG, W.VA.



higher. An extension to May 15th will be given upon the payment of fifty cents.

Our camp at Dallas is making the most elaborate preparations for the event, and will arrange things in the best possible manner for our entertainment. It is showing most admirable activity. A list of chairmen of committees was given in General Order No. 8. The camp at Ft. Worth is rendering valuable assistance. Harry L. Seay, Esq., is commandant of the Dallas camp, and A. S. Wagner is chairman of the Committee on Information.

It is essential that those who expect to attend write at once and secure the information necessary to make proper arrangements, as well as let our hosts know how many will probably be present. Particularly is it important that information be promptly given as to the number of ladies that will attend and how many of them will be provided with escorts. Write at once concerning this to Manning B. Shannon, chairman of Escort Committee.

A great many camps have not sent in their muster rolls or paid their per capita tax. Remember these must be done before its delegates can be recognized. Signed credentials must be brought also. A camp is allowed one delegate for every ten members in good standing and one for a fraction of five or more, no camp to have less than two delegates. If members are added since the last rolls were sent in, representation based upon them can be secured by sending in additional rolls with the per capita tax.

To accommodate camps that cannot possibly send muster rolls and per capita tax earlier, the Adjutant-General will be prepared to receive these and issue certificates after he reaches Dallas. The Commander-in-Chief wishes to permit all possible to participate as members of the reunion, and to that end new camps can be chartered up to the moment that the convention opens. Those who cannot apply for charters earlier may send their papers and remittances to Dallas.

REGISTRATION AND GENERAL INFORMATION HEADQUARTERS for all members and visitors will be at the corner of Main and Akard streets. All should register there promptly and secure all desired information. The names and hotels of all Sponsors, Maids of Honor, visiting ladies, officers, delegates, other members and visitors generally should be recorded there.

Headquarters of the Sponsor-in-Chief, the Department and Division sponsors the Commander-in-Chief, the Department and Division Commanders and their staffs will be at the Oriental Hotel.

By order of R. B. HAUGHTON, Commander-in-Chief.

(Official:) William Horner Cocke, Adjutant-General and Chief of Staff.

(GENERAL ORDER NO. 10.)

St. Louis, Mo., April 8, 1902.

To the United Sons of Confederate Veterans:

Comrades—In commemoration of the devoted labors of the women of the South during the dark days of the war and as a partial return for their heroism and loyalty, it is meet that our gathering at the general reunion be graced by fair daughters of the South who will lend the charm of their presence and sponsorship to it. By reason also of their own beauty and accomplishments, it is proper that we request them to honor our gathering. Therefore, the Commander-in-Chief has made the following appointments on behalf of our General Confederation:

Sponsor-in-Chief—Miss Mary Edmunds Sykes, of Aberdeen, Miss

First Maid of Honor—Miss Martha Blanche Porter, of Memphis, Tenn.

Maid of Honor—Miss Katie Cole, of Dallas, Tex.

Maid of Honor—Miss Claude Brownrigg McQuiston, of Aberdeen, Miss.

Chaperon—Mrs Eugene Lanier Sykes, of New York City.

They will be respected and obeyed accordingly.

To the same end the following ladies have been appointed by the various Department and Division Commanders to officially represent their respective organizations in the capacities named. The appointments of these ladies are hereby confirmed by the Commander-in-Chief, and it is ordered that they be respected and obeyed accordingly:

DEPARTMENTS.

Army of Tennessee—

Sponsor—Miss Edith Mallory, Memphis, Tenn.

First Maid of Honor—Miss Louise Person, Memphis, Tenn.

Trans-Mississippi—

Sponsor—Miss Effie Barrow, Pine Bluff, Ark.

Maid of Honor—Miss Estelle Buckner, Pine Bluff, Ark.

Chaperon—Mrs. W. H. Langford, Pine Bluff, Ark.

DIVISIONS.

North Carolina—

Sponsor—Miss Julia M. Alexander, of Charlotte.

Maid of Honor—Miss Olzie W. Clark, of Wilson.

Chaperon—Mrs. W. H. Overman, of Salisbury.

Kentucky—

Sponsor—Miss Margaret Weissinger of Louisville.

Maid of Honor—Miss Jessie Norton, of Louisville.

West Virginia—

Sponsor—Miss Otie Silver, of Inwood.

Chaperon—Mrs. Virginia F. McSherry, of Martinsburg.

Maid of Honor—Miss Phala Hamilton Kincaid, of Summersville.

Alabama—

Sponsor—Miss Lucy Powell Randle, of Union Springs.

Maid of Honor—Miss Anastasia Pickett, of Union Springs.

Chaperon—Mrs. Hugh Foster, of Union Springs.

Tennessee—

Sponsor—Miss Guy Allen Leeper, of Jackson.

Maid of Honor—Miss Bessie Polk, of Jackson.

Mississippi—

Sponsor—Miss Suzanne Dabney, of Vicksburg.

Maid of Honor—Miss Hannah Elliott, of Vicksburg.

Chaperon—Mrs. Mayre Dabney, of Vicksburg.

Louisiana—

Sponsor—Miss Margaret Allison, of Lake Charles.

Maid of Honor—Miss Heloise Sims, of Donaldsonville.

Chaperon—Mrs. J. Y. Allison, of Lake Charles.

Texas—

Sponsor—Miss Leona Randal, of Waco.

Maid of Honor—Miss Eva Westbrooks, of Lorena.

Chaperon—Mrs. M. S. Westbrooks, of Lorena.

Missouri—

Sponsor—Miss Margaret Wilkinson, of St. Louis.

Maid of Honor—Miss Katharine Mercer, of Independence.

Chaperon—Mrs. Judge J. B. Gantt, of Jefferson City.

Indian Territory—

Sponsor—Miss Nannie Pulliam, of Ardmore.

Maid of Honor—Miss Tennie White, of Purcell.

Chaperon—Mrs. T. Y. Morgan, of Ardmore.

Every preparation will be made by the Dallas camp for the entertainment and pleasure of the ladies, and the Committee on Escorts particularly will look after their comfort and enjoyment.

With most admirable hospitality, opera coaches have been provided by the Dallas camp to transport them to and from the two balls. Information as to these can be had of Manning B. Shannon, chairman of Escort Committee.

The Division of Mississippi has covered itself with glory by its resolution, passed at the recent reunion at Meridian, to purchase Beauvoir, the old home of ex-President Davis. This beautiful place, lying in a lovely stretch of the Mississippi coast, was the retreat of our beloved chieftain during the years that he was with us after the war. It will be preserved as a memorial to him, and will be henceforth the

Mt. Vernon of the Confederacy. If our entire Confederation had done nothing but this, its existence as an organization would have been fully justified. The Division of Mississippi deserves the thanks of every Southern man and woman and most enthusiastic thanks of our members. The Commander-in-Chief hereby officially extends these to it, with our warmest congratulations and approbation. Our entire membership are requested to give as wide publicity as possible to this great accomplishment, and to communicate with Division Commander, W. E. Daniel, Yazoo City, Miss., chairman of the committee in charge. It may be that our members generally can aid the Division of Mississippi in connection with the matter.

The ladies of the Confederated Southern Memorial Association and the United Daughters of the Confederacy, with their wonted devotion and zeal, are co-operating in the noble work of erecting a monument to our beloved ex-president, Jefferson Davis. This is one tribute that must be paid by the Southern people, if everything else should fail. The monument will be the measure of our loyalty to the cause which he represented, and we must see to it that the sum contributed is sufficient to do justice to the man and to the cause. Your contributions are asked and are needed. Send to Mrs. E. D. Taylor, Treasurer, Richmond, Va. A report must be made at the Dallas Re-union. Send in contributions at once.

The Confederated Southern Memorial Association will hold its Third Annual Convention during the Re-union, in the Auditorium parlor of the Cumberland Presbyterian Church. Its proceedings will open with a memorial service in honor of Ex-President Davis, at 9:30 a. m., April 22d, at the Episcopal Cathedral, on South Ervay street.

Owing to important business which prevents his giving the proper attention to the work of the committee, the chairman of the constitutional committee has recently resigned. C. H. Fauntleroy, Esq., of St. Louis, Mo., is hereby appointed as such chairman. Thomas E. Powe, of St. Louis, Mo., is hereby appointed a member of said committee to succeed Judge R. W. Nicholls, resigned.

The following appointments were made on March 20th, 1902:

John M. Adams, of Ft. Worth, Tex., as Assistant Quarter-Master-General.

George McCormick, of Houston, as Brigade Commander of the 1st Brigade of Texas.

Carlos Bee, of San Antonio, as Brigade Commander of the 2d Brigade of Texas.

W. C. O'Bryan, of McGregor, as Brigade Commander of the 3rd Brigade of Texas.

J. P. Mouldeu, of McKinney, as Brigade Commander of the 4th Brigade of Texas.

Thomas Price, of Graham, as Brigade Commander of the 5th Brigade of Texas.

Those who desire invitations to either ball should write at once to E. Dick Slaughter, chairman of Invitation Committee.

The Commander-in-Chief and the Adjutant-General will reach Dallas late in the afternoon of April 20th, and can be found at once at the Oriental Hotel. All mail that cannot be deposited in time to reach St. Louis on Saturday, the 19th, should be sent to the Oriental at Dallas.

General Orders will be issued from time to time, as occasion may require, at Dallas. Copies of them can be secured at the room of the Commander-in-Chief, or at the office of the clerk of the Oriental Hotel.

By order of R B HAUGHTON, Commander-in-Chief.

(Official:) William Horner Cocke, Adjutant-General and Chief of Staff.

(The following appointments were communicated to the Commander-in-Chief, and confirmed by him, after the last General Order was issued, to-wit:

For the Army of Northern Virginia Department:

Sponsor—Miss Agnes Drewry, of Centralia, Va.

Maid of Honor—Miss Bessie Doyle, of Norfolk, Va.

For the Army of Tennessee Department:

Second Maid of Honor—Miss Kate Macrae, of Memphis, Tenn.

Chaperon—Mrs. W. B. Mallory, of Memphis, Tenn.)

(GENERAL ORDER NO. 11.)

Dallas, Texas, April 21, 1902.

To the United Sons of Confederate Veterans:

Comrades—The Kaliph will arrive at 3 p. m. on April 22, and the parade of escort will pass the reviewing stand, Ervay and Main streets, at 2:15 p. m.

The reception to the Sponsors and Maids of Honor at the Dallas and Elks Clubs will be from 3 to 6 p. m., April 22.

The grand ball tendered by W. L. Cabell Camp will begin at 9 p. m. on April 22.

The crowning of the Queen of the Kaliphate at the Kaliph's ball on April 24 will take place at 9:30 p. m.

There will be a reception by ladies of Dallas to visiting ladies at the Dallas Club on April 24, from 3 to 7 p. m. Gentlemen are invited.

The official parade will form at 9:30 a. m. and will move at 10 a. m. on April 24. The following are the places of formation and order of march:

Commander-in-Chief R. B. Haughton and staff, Lamar street, between Main and Commerce, head resting on Commerce.

Sponsor-in-Chief and party, Lamar street, in rear of Commander-in-Chief.

Special escort of sponsor-in-chief.

Sponsors of departments and divisions, with their respective parties, each immediately followed by the respective commander and staff—Commerce street, head resting on Lamar, extending east in the following order:

Departments — Army of Northern Virginia, Army of Tennessee, Trans-Mississippi.

Divisions—Virginia, North Carolina, South Carolina, Kentucky, West Virginia, District of Columbia, Georgia, Alabama, Tennessee, Mississippi, Louisiana, Florida, Arkansas, Texas, Missouri, Indian Territory.

Sponsors of brigades and their parties, each followed by the respective brigade commander and staff.

Sponsor of W. L. Cabell Camp, of Dallas, Texas, and her party, with special escort, Commerce street, in rear of next above.

Other camp sponsors (these may immediately precede their respective camps if preferred).

Marching clubs and other special organizations of visiting camps, Poydras street, head resting on Commerce, extending south to Jackson street, thence east on Jackson.

Visiting camps in rear of next above.

R. E. Lee Camp of Ft. Worth, Texas, immediately preceded by its sponsor and her party.

Route—East on Main street to Harwood; north on Harwood to Elm; west on Elm to Jefferson; countermarching: east on Elm to Harwood; south on Harwood to Main; west on Main to the Courthouse.

Major L. S. Flateau of Dallas, Texas, is hereby appointed aide, and is given special charge of the parade. The following of Dallas, Texas, are hereby appointed special aides, and will assist him: Walker Ellis, Sloan Simpson, Robert Gaston, John Hilke, Dr. S. E. Miliken, John Elliott, George E. Sexton and Roy Terrell.

W. B. Paddock of Fort Worth, Texas, was on April 14, 1902, appointed Assistant Commissary General.

Those who desire horses for use in the parade must apply to J. Haas, chairman, at the T. P. A. room, Oriental Hotel, between 12 m. and 2 p. m.

By order of

R B HAUGHTON, Commander-in-Chief.

(Official:) William Horner Cocke, Adjutant-General and Chief of Staff.

Synopsis of the Important and Interesting Address of Hon. John H. Reagan.

The war between the States—1861 to 1865—measured by the size of the armies, by the number of battles fought, by the number of soldiers killed, wounded and missing, and by the amount and value of the property destroyed, was much the greatest war of modern times. It grew out of great causes, and was not, as has been often alleged by those interested in perverting its history, a causeless war, brought about by ambitious political leaders of the Southern States.

In the vindication of the truth of history I propose to state the principal causes which lead to that war.

At the conclusion of the war which separated the American colonies from the crown of Great Britain, these colonies formed a federal government, to which they gave exclusive jurisdiction over all questions of foreign interstate relations, reserving to the States exclusive jurisdiction over all questions relating to their local rights and duties.

While this is clearly implied in the plan and Constitution of the new Federal Government, it is distinctly asserted in the tenth amendment to the Constitution, which was adopted soon after the ratification of the Constitution, and reads as follows:

“The powers not delegated to the United States by the constitution, nor prohibited by it to the States are reserved to the States respectively, or to the people.”

In the formation of the Constitution, and adoption of the Federal Government, two very important and conflicting sets of opinions existed as to what the form and character of the government should be. And these conflicting opinions become the more serious because entertained, on each side, by men of known patriotism, and of great ability. One party to this conflict of opinions doubted the capacity of the people for self-government, and favored a strong government, to be modeled somewhat on the plan of the British Constitution, omitting royalty and aristocracy, but to be made strong enough to control refractory States, to protect the lives, persons and property of the people, and to preserve peace and good order in society. The other party to the conflict of opinion claimed that the American people had sufficient intelligence and virtue to enable them to organize and to so administer government as to successfully accomplish the same purposes. And those who took this view succeeded in getting it engrafted in the Constitution, placing the necessary limitations on the powers of the Federal Government, and preserving to the States and the people all the power not so delegated.

When the Federal Government was put in operation under the Constitution those representing the foregoing views classed themselves respectively as Federalists, led by Alexander Hamilton, and as Republicans (now Democrats) led by Thomas Jefferson. The Federalists, who distrusted the capacity of the people for self-government and favored a strong government, on the one side, and the Republicans, who believed in the capacity of the people for self-government, and who sought to preserve the rights of the States and the largest liberty of the people on the other side, continued the contest for the shaping and controlling of the character and policy of the Government, the Federalists aiming by a latitudinous construction of the Constitution to enlarge the powers of the Government beyond what was prescribed by the letter of the Constitution, and thereby to abridge the rights of the several States, and thus also to endanger the liberties of the people.

The contests of opinion on this vital question continued to divide the people continuously from the foundation of the Government until 1861-1865, when, as a result of the war, the Constitution was changed in important particulars, the doctrine of State rights was overthrown and the right of property in negro slaves was denied, and millions of dollars of what was then property was confiscated in plain and distinct violation of the Constitution.

This was one of the great questions which endangered the perpetuity of the Union.

Another cause of danger to the Union was the revenue policy of the Government. The Constitution provided for a tariff for revenue, for the support of the Government. The tariff policy was perverted into a policy of protection and fostering some industries at the expense of others, in plain violation of the Constitution, by taking the property of some of the people from them without compensating them for it and giving to others who paid nothing for it, enriching some of the people and impoverishing others of them, by operation of unjust and unconstitutional legislation. This came near involving the country in a civil war about the year 1832, and gave rise to the nullification measure of South Carolina.

The acquisition of foreign territory was another cause which threatened the perpetuity of the Union. The acquisition of the Louisiana Territory, the acquisition of Florida, the admission of Missouri as a State and the annexation of Texas and the acquisition of the Mexican Territory, caused much violent discussion and threats by the New England States to secede from the Union, they assuming that these acquisitions increased the power of the agricultural States to the disadvantage of the manufacturing States, and when the United States, in 1812-1814, became involved in the second war with Great Britain, the same New England States, in their opposition to it, threatened to secede from the Union.



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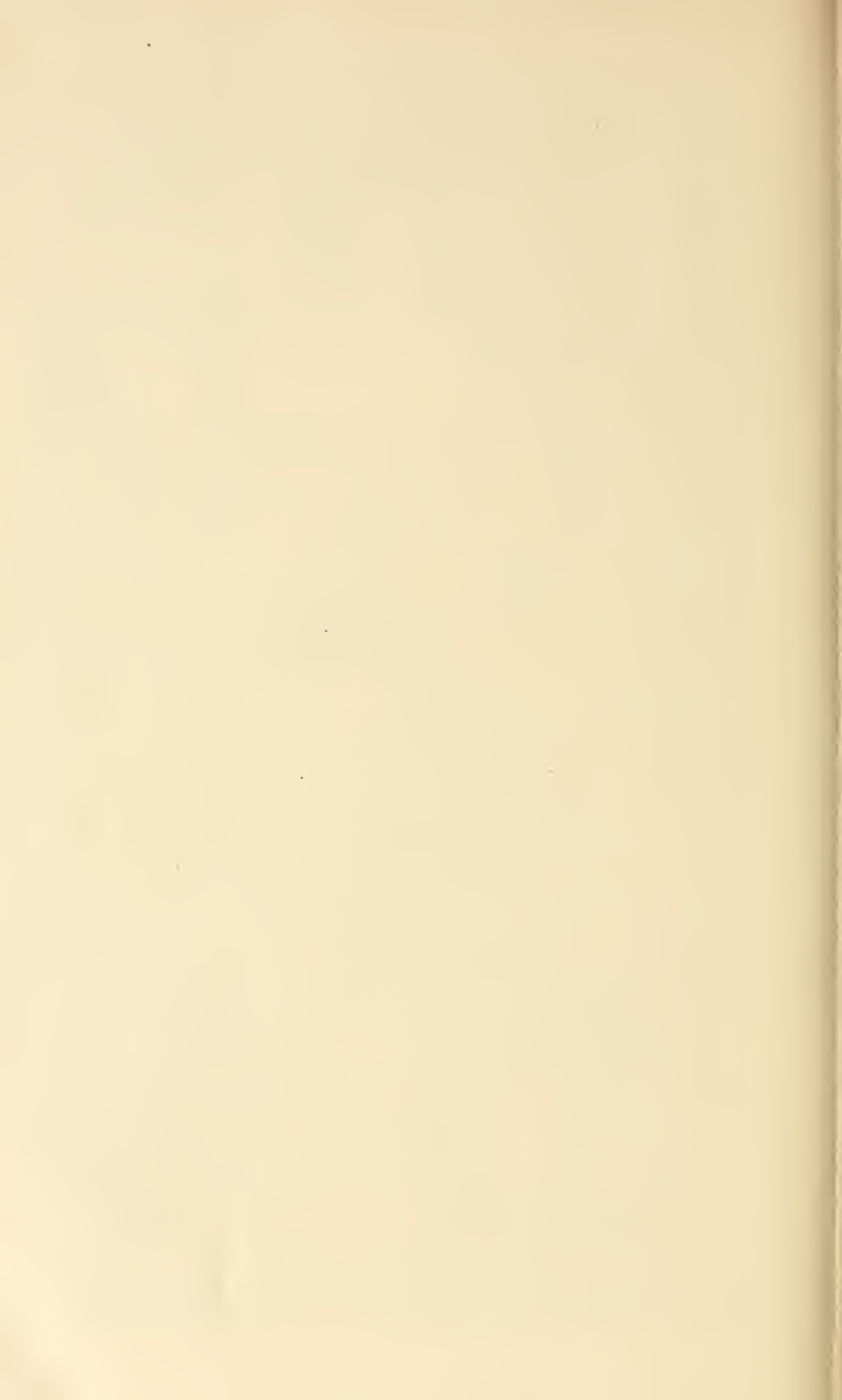
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All these conflicts of opinion were in a large measure sectional, as between the Northern and Southern States, and produced in the minds of patriotic citizens more or less anxiety for the safety of the Union and the preservation of the peace of the country.

To these causes of disturbance was added the protracted agitation of the slavery question, which threatened most dangerous results. The question as to whether the States of the Union should be free or slave was a question for each State to decide for itself, and that had been the uniform practice.

I shall show that it was the purpose of the abolitionists of the free States, where slavery did not exist, States which had no jurisdiction or authority over the subject of African slavery in the States where it did not exist, to secure its abolition through the agency of a popular majority of the people of the United States, in plain violation of the Constitution, which left to the several States the sole jurisdiction and authority over all their local institutions and domestic affairs, and that, too, without compensation for them, though they were of the value of about three billions of dollars.

A review of this question is necessary to a proper understanding of what has been done in this country in relation to it.

A Northern, sectional anti-slavery party was organized and in the year 1856 placed in nomination for the office of President John C. Fremont of California and for the office of Vice-President William L. Dayton of New Jersey. These candidates received 114 electoral votes, all being from the free States of the North, though they were not elected, thus demonstrating its purely sectional character. Four years later, 1860, the anti-slavery party nominated Abraham Lincoln for President and Hannibal Hamlin for Vice-President, and this ticket secured 180 electoral votes, exclusively from the Northern free States, and was elected, demonstrating its sectional character, and showing that it commanded the support of a majority of the electoral college and of the people of the United States. This greatly alarmed the people of the Southern States.

During and before the American Revolution African slavery existed in all the American colonies, and the African slave trade was carried on by the consent and policy of those colonies.

Bancroft, in his History of the United States, Vol. 1, page 159, says, speaking of the colony of Virginia, "Slavery was not introduced by the corporation, meaning colony, nor by the desire of the emigrants, but was introduced by the mercantile avarice of a foreign nation and was riveted by the policy of England without regard to the interests or the wishes of the colony." On the same page he says, "Slavery and the slave trade are older than the records of human society; they are found to have existed wherever the savage hunter began to assume the habits of pastoral or agricultural life," and with the exception of Australia, they have extended to every portion of the globe. On page

166 he says, "The traffic of Europe in negro slaves was fully established before the colonization of the United States, and had existed a half century before the discovery of America."

Later slavery and the slave trade became offensive to the most enlightened nations of modern times, and this view was embraced by many of our people. After the people of the Northern States had got rid of their slaves by selling them to the planters of the Southern States, the opposition to it in those States grew until it became a controlling element in their politics.

In addition to what was to be expected by the South from the two foregoing canvasses for President and Vice-President by the anti-slavery party, there were many other indications that its ultimate aim was to free the slaves of the South, break up the social and industrious conditions of that section, with the vast sacrifice in property interests which would necessarily follow its consummation.

Hon. Wm. H. Seward, who was one of the prominent candidates for the presidency and who was the most influential member of that party, and who became Secretary of State under President Lincoln, declared that the slavery question presented "an irrepressible conflict." That could only mean that the agitation must go on until the people of the non-slaveholding States could secure the abolition of slavery by unconstitutional means, for there was no other way to accomplish their purpose. Later, Abraham Lincoln, afterward President of the United States, declared "that this country could not remain half free and half slave." That could only mean that the agitation must go on until the people of the States where slavery did not exist could secure its abolition in States where it did exist.

In the meantime war occurred on this question in Kansas, which called out the most angry feelings on both sides. And the notorious John Brown organized in the Northern States an armed company with which he invaded the State of Virginia for the avowed purpose of inaugurating a war of races between the whites and blacks, carrying with it murder and arson. He and some of his associates were arrested, tried, condemned and hanged for this great crime. As an indication of the temper of the Northern people, instead of condemning the acts of these fellows, in many cases they draped their churches in mourning for John Brown and eulogized him as a saint and martyr.

As further evidence of the aggressive determination of the anti-slavery men to force a conflict with the South on this question, I call attention to the fact that many of the Northern State Legislatures before he war passed acts making it a penal crime for any of their officers or citizens to aid in the enforcement of the provision of the Constitution and the acts of Congress, which had the approval of the highest court, for the rendition of fugitive slaves, thus nullifying the Constitution and laws on this question, the members of the Legislatures violating their oaths to support the Constitution.

When Southern members of Congress made appeals to the Northern members to aid them in sustaining the Constitution and in the protection of their rights they were answered by the statement: "We have the majority and you have to submit." I make this statement on personal knowledge. We were thus notified that a popular majority of all the people of all the States was to be substituted for the provisions of the Constitution which limit the powers of the Federal Government and protect the rights of the several States.

It should be here stated that if African slavery was wrong it was a national wrong, inherited from the governments which preceded ours, and was supported by the Constitution and laws and by the decision of the courts, and if it was to be abolished it should have been at the expense of the whole people. To this suggestion anti-slavery men gave no heed.

The people of the South were thus compelled to face the question of submitting to the destruction of their property rights under a violated Constitution or of trying to secure the relief and protection they were entitled to by withdrawing from a union hostile to them and seeking the protection of friendly Governments.

The anti-slavery men had much to say about the sin and wickedness of slavery, and about the slave-holders' rebellion as a means of inflaming the Northern mind. In addition to what I have said about the universality of slavery, among the nations in the past, I may call attention to the fact of the existence of slaves and the slave trade among the ancient Israelites; a people under the immediate guidance of God; and to the repeated injunctions of the Christ our Savior to servants to obey their masters. And to the fact that Gen. Washington, who commanded our armies during the Revolution, who was the president of the convention which formed the Constitution, and who was twice elected President of the United States, was the owner of a greater number of slaves than any other citizen at that time, being the owner of about three hundred. That Mr. Jefferson, Mr. Madison, Mr. Monroe, Gen. Jackson, Mr. Polk and Gen. Taylor were all slave-holders; and that a great number of devout Christian men and women were the owners of slaves. Are all of these to be branded as criminals, as wicked and to be despised, and their names cast into oblivion along with our violated Constitution and laws?

I am well aware of the sophistries, false statements and perversions of history employed by the victorious party for the purpose of ignoring these great facts, and upon which they base the charge that the ex-Confederates were rebels and traitors, and that through their ambitious leaders they brought about a causeless war. We must content ourselves with the consciousness that in the Union we sought only the enforcement of the Constitution and laws, for the preservation of the rights of our States and for the protection of our people; that when we could not have these in the Union we attempted to withdraw our

States from it, in order that we might enjoy our rights in peace under friendly governments. And we can safely appeal to the final arbitrament of history and it shall be written, when the passions and prejudices of the war shall have died out, for the vindication of our memories against the base and false charges of treason and rebellion.

While the cause for which we contended was lost we see the evidence, from year to year, that our people are as proud of the record they made for their rights and for liberty as was ever any conqueror in the history of the past. And they are as proud of their success in restoring good government and prosperity to their people since the end of that disastrous war as they are of the grandeur of the struggle they made for independence.

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Lynch, J. W.	Union.		
Neal, A. G.	Marlington.		
Neel, H. S.	Gap Mills.		
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Beard, Miss Mary	Louisiana.
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Buckner, Miss Estelle	Pine Bluff, Ark.
Ballentyne, Miss Margaret	Pine Bluff, Ark.
Buxton, Miss Carolyn	Pine Bluff, Ark.
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Butler, Miss Bessie	Tyler, Tex.
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Bell, Miss Lilly V.	Dallas, Tex.
Bruce, Miss Ella	Morristown, Tenn.
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Westbrook, Miss Hattie	
Woodside, Miss Nora	
Wells, Mrs. J. T.	
Webb, Miss Nina	
Weissinger, Miss Margaret	Louisville, Ky.
White, Miss Tennie	Purcell, I. T.
Wilson, Miss Mamie R.	San Antonio, Tex.
Williams, Miss Lena	Oak Cliff, Tex.
Wilkinson, Miss Margaret Ewing	St. Louis, Mo.
Ward, Miss Olive	Dallas, Tex.
Wilson, Miss May	Sherman, Tex.
Winkler, Miss Myra	Corsicana, Tex.
White, Miss Emma	Pine Bluff, Ark.
Whitson, Miss Pauline Denton	
Willis, Miss Emeline	Nicholasville, Ky.
Woolfolk, Miss M. G.	Clinton, Mo.
Worthan, Miss Linnie	Litchfield, Ky.
Weems, Miss Carrie Beatte	Alvin, Tex.
Zufall, Miss Margareth	Moscogee, I. T.

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1.	R. E. Lee.	Richmond, Va.	E. H. Courtney.	J. S. Boshier.	226
2.	R. S. Chew.	Fredericksburg, Va.	J. T. Turner.		40
4.	Moultrie.	Charleston, S. C.	W. Turner Logan.	A. S. Salley, Jr.	161
5.	George Davis.	Wilmington, N. C.	Walker Taylor.	E. Keith Calder.	44
6.	State Sovereignty.	Louisa, Va.	Collins Hart.	Murray Morris.	10
7.	W. W. Humphreys.	Anderson, S. C.	John C. Watkins.	J. M. Patrick.	40
8.	J. E. B. Stuart.	Berryville, Va.	S. B. Wardesty.	Massey Shepherd.	50
9.	Pickett Buchanan.	Norfolk, Va.	W. W. Sale.	A. W. Seatroso.	89
10.	Turner Ashby.	Harrisonburg, Va.	Ed. C. Martz.	Geo. N. Conrad.	29
11.	Hampton.	Hampton, Va.	John Weymouth.	A. T. Ransome.	14
13.	Pickett-Stuart.	Nottoway, Va.	James Mann.	Chas. F. Drane.	26
14.	John R. Cooke.	West Point, Va.	T. H. Edwards.	J. V. Bray.	15
15.	Johnston Pettigrew.	Asheville, N. C.	Dr. C. S. Jordan.	Wayne S. Ray.	60
16.	John Pelham.	Auburn, Ala.	Charles C. Thach.	B. S. Patrick.	10
17.	Henry Wyatt.	Winston, N. C.	Jas. H. Foote, Jr.	Geo. S. Norfleet.	36
18.	Thomas Hardeman.	Macon, Ga.	Minter Wimberly.	W. W. Solomon.	43
20.	Page Valley.	Shenandoah, Va.	E. L. Keyser.	R. H. Cline.	51
21.	Loudoun.	Leesburg, Va.	E. E. Garrett.	R. H. Tebbs.	30
22.	Maxcy Gregg.	Columbia, S. C.	Dr. Wm. Weston.	J. M. Cautey.	72
23.	Stonewall Jackson.	Charlotte, N. C.	Brevard Nixon.	W. K. Yates.	40
25.	John H. Morgan.	Richmond, Ky.			24
26.	A. S. Johnston.	Belton, Texas.	W. B. Miller.	W. K. Saunders.	10
27.	Wade Hampton.	Mt. Pleasant, S. C.	R. V. Royall.	S. J. DuPre.	36
28.	Jo Johnston.	Nashville, Tenn.	W. H. Clarke.	Litton Hickman.	53
29.	Maury.	Columbia, Tenn.	H. F. Alexander.	W. B. Wooten.	37
30.	John H. Morgan.	Bowling Green, Ky.	E. R. Hines.	Fred Nahn.	50

31..	Cadwallader Jones..	Rock Hill, S. C.	Rev. J. W. C. Johnson	Sidney Friedheim	14
34..	Wm. B. Brown	Gallatin, Tenn.	Thos. Boyers	J. T. Baskerville	74
35..	John M. Kinard	Newberry, S. C.	John M. Kinard	Z. F. Wright	40
38..	B. H. Rutledge	McClellanville, S. C.	J. Y. DuPre	T. W. Graham, Jr.	25
39..	Clark Allen	Abbeville, S. C.	J. Allen Smith	J. L. Perrin	27
40..	W. D. Simpson	Laurens, S. C.	Lewis W. Simkins	C. D. Barksdale	36
41..	James M. Perrin	Greenwood, S. C.	David Aiken	S. F. Evans	63
42..	B. S. Jones	Clinton, S. C.	H. Y. Vance	Dr. W. H. Young	..
44..	Barnard Bee	Pendleton, S. C.	Jas. T. Hunter	P. H. E. Sloan, Jr.	23
45..	Norton	Seneca, S. C.	T. E. Stribling	E. K. Lewis	..
46..	John B. Gordon	Atlanta, Ga.	Shepard Bryan	Lawrence G. Mitchell	150
47..	Richard H. Anderson	Beaufort, S. C.	Dr. H. M. Stuart, Jr.	J. M. Baker	20
49..	W. L. Cabell	Dallas, Texas	Harry L. Scay	Jacob Haas	848
50..	John B. Hood	Galveston, Tex.	B. P. Knoll	W. G. Jones	20
51..	Lewis T. Wigfall	Batesburg, S. C.	C. L. Jones	H. S. Steadman	31
52..	Archibald Gracie	Bristol, Tenn.	Wm. C. Carrington	Rhea Crawford	36
53..	Larkin A. Griffin	Ninety Six, S. C.	A. S. Osborne	E. J. Rogers	19
54..	J. E. B. Stuart	Marlinton, W. Va.	L. J. Marshall	A. W. Gatewood	..
55..	Jo Vaughn	Fayette, Mo.	R. C. Clark	H. C. Mason	19
56..	John Boyd	Lexington, Ky.	Thos. R. Morgan	W. H. Lucas	15
57..	A. F. Boggess	Decatur, Tenn.	J. W. Lillard	Robt. L. McKenzie	13
58..	James McCutchen	Kingstree, S. C.	Chas. J. Lesesne	L. J. Bristow	35
61..	John A. Broadus	Louisville, Ky.	Edw. L. McDonald	Andrew M. Sea, Jr.	347
62..	Chris. C. Pegues	Selma, Ala.	Roger Ap C. Jones	L. P. Dawson	20
63..	Sul Ross	Alvin, Texas	N. M. Gibson	Edw. L. Acton	54
64..	Fitzhugh Lee	Waycross, Ga.	John W. Bennett	A. P. Perham, Jr.	..
66..	Bull Dog Pelham	Louisville, Ga.	Wm. F. Little	W. R. Singuefield	10
67..	Sul Ross	Houston, Texas	C. W. Bocock	Wm. C. Timmins	15

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68..	Oliver E. Edwards..	Spartanburg, S. C.	John W. Simpson.	S. B. Jones.	22
69..	J. Z. George.....	Yazoo City, Miss.	C. H. Williams.	W. E. Daniel.	46
70..	William Shippe.....	Hendersonville, N. C.	Thos. J. Rickman.	M. L. Shipman.	..
71..	Pickens, S. C.....	Pickens, S. C.	Julius E. Boggs.	W. F. Blasingame.	..
72..	Stone Fort.....	Manchester, Tenn.	F. N. Miller.	R. W. Green.	10
73..	Olin M. Dantzler...	Orangeburg, S. C.	M. O. Dantzler.	C. J. Owens.	40
74..	W. E. James.....	Darlington, S. C.	C. B. Edwards.	M. T. Lide.	80
75..	Henry Buist.....	Charleston, S. C.	George D. Rouse.	J. D. Funnor.	68
76..	Taliaferro.....	Crawfordville, Ga.	C. G. Moore.	W. N. S. Maltbie.	10
77..	Jos. A. Blance.....	Cedartown, Ga.	C. R. Pittman.	W. S. Coleman.	30
78..	Jack Felder.....	Americus, Ga.	W. K. Wheatley.	T. W. Callaway.	42
79..	LaFayette McLaws.	Fayetteville, Ga.	A. J. Vickers.	Nat. R. Beadles.	17
80..	Chas. C. Henning...	Ocala, Fla.	J. R. Mathewes.	W. T. Gary.	40
81..	A. J. Hoole.....	Florence, S. C.	H. M. Brunson.	R. C. Chase.	61
82..	Jos. B. Kershaw....	Camden, S. C.	Thos. J. Kirkland.	J. B. Steedman, Jr.	50
83..	Stonewall Jackson..	Jacksonville, Fla.	T. T. Stockton.	Chas. N. Welshans.	35
84..	Washington Artillery	Charleston, S. C.	W. H. La Far.	Louis Sherfesse, Jr.	22
85..	W. H. Duncan.....	Barnwell, S. C.	R. C. Roberts, Jr.	G. M. Greene.	10
86..	John R. Culp.....	Chester, S. C.	J. H. Marion.	R. B. Caldwell.	32
87..	Henry M. Ashby....	Knoxville, Tenn.	A. Y. Burrows.	R. H. Gammon.	35
88..	John M. White.....	Fort Mill, S. C.	J. R. Haile.	M. B. Ardrey.	16
89..	Fitzhugh Lee.....	Ellijay, Ga.	A. E. Sharp.	J. H. Hutchinson.	..
90..	Stonewall Jackson..	Homer, Ga.	J. S. Chambers.	J. S. Parks.	44
91..	Martha A. McLean.	Thomson, Ga.	Idus W. Shields.	A. D. Adkins.	10
92..	James D. Blanding..	Sumter, S. C.	Geo. W. Dick.	W. Y. L. Marshall.	..
93..	Francis S. Bartow..	Savannah, Ga.	U. H. McLaws.	Alfred D. Harden.	173
94..	Callahan.....	Jefferson, Ga.	J. S. Ayers.	J. E. Randolph, Jr.	25

95..Stonewall Jackson..	Flowers Branch, Ga.	C. E. Hutchinson.	J. C. Smith.	..
96..Lawrenceville..	Lawrenceville, Ga.	Oscar Brown.	J. L. Powell.	27
97..Troup Artillery..	Athens, Ga.	S. J. Tribble.	Jas. H. Dozier.	10
99..Jefferson Davis..	Atlanta, Ga.	H. C. Mead.	Samuel K. Abbott.	20
101..Harris County..	Hamilton, Ga.	J. B. Burnside.	B. F. Hill.	30
102..J. L. Bryan..	Orlando, Fla.	B. C. Abernathy.	D. L. Hancock.	72
103..Elberton..	Elberton, Ga.	Wm. F. Jones.	C. W. McEwen.	27
104..Stonewall..	Dublin, Ga.	D. S. Blackshear.	J. A. Peacock.	72
105..Chas. W. Baldwin..	Madison, Ga.	Q. L. Wallford.	Chas. A. Sanders.	26
106..Ross R. Ihrie..	Pittsboro, N. C.	Spence Taylor.	H. A. Loudon, Jr.	11
107..John McIntosh Kell.	Griffin, Ga.	David J. Bailey, Jr.	M. J. Daniel, Jr.	60
108..C. T. Zachry..	McDonough, Ga.	J. Q. Nolan.	C. W. Stroblhar.	71
109..Isham G. Harris..	Paris, Tenn.	Horace E. Jobe.	Robt. L. Cole.	21
110..P. J. Gilbert..	Napoleonville, La.	E. O. Lalande.	Oscar Dugas.	47
111..Hall McConnell..	Clarksville, Ark.	J. W. Coffman.	A. M. Ward.	46
112..Sam Davis..	Pulaski, Tenn.	Gordon Walker.	John B. Wilkes.	23
114..F. M. Bamberg..	Bamberg, S. C.	W. G. Smith.	E. Dickinson.	20
115..S. G. Godfrey..	Cheraw, S. C.	W. H. Manning.	W. P. Pollock.	32
116..W. B. Peoples..	Appleton, S. C.	E. H. Peoples.	W. W. Flowers.	16
117..W. S. Featherston..	Holly Springs, Miss.	D. M. Featherston.	J. M. Mickle.	47
120..N. B. Forrest..	Huntsville, Ala.	E. H. Foster, Jr.	J. H. Wallace, Jr.	35
121..James R. Hamilton.	Branchville, S. C.	W. A. Betts.	M. S. Connor.	10
122..James D. Blanding.	Sumter, S. C.	L. S. Carson.	J. M. Knight.	75
124..Cal Crozier..	Tyler, Texas.	H. G. Robertson.	W. W. Herring.	36
125..H. Fay Gaffney..	Gaffney, S. C.	H. Fay Gaffney.	Lou P. Howell.	45
126..Ascension ..	Donaldsonville, La.	Edmund Maurin.	Prosper Ganel, Jr.	25
127..Early Branch..	Early Branch, S. C.	J. E. Ulmers.	Henry Stokes.	27
128..Saluda Valley..	Pelzer, S. C.	J. Adger Smyth, Jr.	Frank E. Major.	21

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129..	Sul Ross	Waco, Texas.	Homer D. Wade.	W. L. Edmonds....	243
130..	Beauregard.....	New Orleans, La.	Henry M. Gill.	M. B. Bergeron....	142
131..	Sea Island.....	Edisto Island, S. C.	Hugh R. Murchison.	Wm. Murray.....	21
132..	Litchfield.....	Conway, S. C.	D. A. Spivey.....	J. Clarence Norton..	16
133..	Henry W. Allen....	Baton Rouge, La.	Hugh Waddill.....	Nicholas O. Wax....	31
134..	John Selden Roane..	Pine Bluff, Ark.	J. T. Bradford.....	George S. Valliant...	160
135..	Wm. E. Moore.....	Helena, Ark.	R. C. Burke.....	R. T. Pitchford ...	145
137..	Claiborne.....	Port Gibson, Miss.	R. C. McCay.....	Will T. Jones.....	29
139..	John Cowan.....	Due West, S. C.	W. M. Grier, Jr....	Thos. V. Miller.....	20
140..	Wallace.....	Edgefield, S. C.	S. McG. Simkins....	John Lake.....	20
141..	Phil Cook.....	Albany, Ga.	J. W. Gillespie.....	C. B. James.....	20
142..	Singleary Pettigrew	Washington, N. C.	Wm. Densie Grimes.	Chas. E. Harding....	..
143..	Gen. Micah Jenkins.	Summerville, S. C.	LeGare Walker.....	Edward L. Braid....	25
144..	Charles A. Brusle...	Plaquemine, La.	Clarence S. Hebert.	H. N. Sherburne, Jr..	53
145..	Sterling Price.....	St. Louis, Mo.	W. H. Cocke.....	H. N. Spencer, Jr....	88
146..	J. L. Coker.....	Hartsville, S. C.	H. A. Edwards.....	Alex. Coker.....	35
147..	David O. Dodd.....	Austin, Ark.	W. H. Blackwood....	Isaac McKinney.....	10
148..	Beirne Chapman....	Union, W. Va.	L. E. Campbell.....	A. T. Johnson.....	42
149..	Sam Davis.....	Ardmore, I. T.	W. H. Binghami....	Jas. K. Mathers.....	63
150..	Joe Wheeler.....	Davis, I. T.	G. H. Collins.....	W. H. Clift.....	..
151..	T. N. Waul.....	Greenville, Texas.	Howard Parker.....	Geo. B. Adams.....	67
152..	Holman Boone.....	Fayetteville, Tenn.	R. Ed. Feeney.....	B. E. Holman.....	28
153..	Tom Green.....	San Antonio, Texas.	Carlos Bee.....	F. G. Huntress, Jr...	52
154..	Tattall.....	Reidsville, Ga.	Chas. G. Edwards....	J. J. Bazemore.....	16
155..	W. S. Daniel.....	Tallahoma, Tenn.	Sam. J. Farris.....	Doak Aydelott.....	12
156..	John A. Norman....	Lynchburg, Tenn.	John L. Norman.....	Harry Dance.....	26

157..Robert E. Lee.....	Lone Grove, I. T.....	W. H. Rader.....	Jas. V. Byrd.....	40
158..W. H. T. Walker.....	Augusta, Ga.....	Lawton B. Evans.....	Robt. I. Branch.....	15
159..Ben F. Bradley.....	Georgetown, Ky.....	Victor F. Bradley.....	E. P. Halley, Jr.....	26
162..J. A. Cummins.....	Bowie, Texas.....	O. Speer.....	John Speer.....	30
164..Jefferson Davis.....	Glasgow, Ky.....	Geo. R. Lewis.....	W. D. Dickinson.....	32
165..Samps Harris.....	Carrollton, Ga.....	J. B. E. Brown.....	E. B. Brodnax.....	25
166..Harry Burgwyn.....	Raleigh, N. C.....	John B. Stronach.....	Baxter Durham.....	66
167..A. P. Hill.....	Petersburg, Va.....	James P. Banks.....	Williams T. Davis.....	20
168..Hector McKethan.....	Fayetteville, N. C.....	E. R. McKethan.....	Hector McGeachy.....	10
169..Marietta.....	Marietta, I. T.....	J. T. Chancellor.....	H. W. Choate.....	20
170..F. A. Daingerfield.....	Hot Springs, Va.....	S. Carey Beckwith.....	H. T. Taliaferro.....	14
171..Joe Cash.....	Oxford, N. C.....	Sidney W. Minor.....	J. W. Anderson.....	17
172..C. Broadway Roush.....	Washington, D. C.....	C. L. Brown.....	J. W. Anderson.....	60
173..Crossland.....	Mavfield, Ky.....	Edward Crossland.....	.....	20
174..Stonewall Jackson.....	Shelbyville, Ky.....	Chas. C. Marshall.....	W. L. Smith.....	50
175..Jefferson Davis.....	Colorado Springs, Colo.....	W. R. Kivett.....	John R. Odom.....	21
176..N. B. Forrest.....	Union City, Tenn.....	R. E. Lee Bynum.....	H. E. Pickett.....	36
177..Winnie Davis.....	Terrell, Texas.....	.....	.....	10
178..N. B. Forrest.....	Waxahachie, Texas.....	J. Lester Williams.....	.....	20
180..Shoo-ga-see-le-tah.....	Cherokee, N. C.....	.....	C. J. Webster.....	37
181..John H. Cooper.....	Sulphur, I. T.....	T. F. Gafford.....	S. W. Bedford.....	17
182..W. T. Aull.....	Owensboro, Ky.....	John M. Ashby.....	W. F. Schenck.....	13
183..Joe Wheeler.....	Meridian, Texas.....	J. H. Alexander.....	J. C. Marney.....	37
184..Sam Davis.....	Milford, Texas.....	W. T. Wray.....	J. S. Eggleston.....	20
185..Holmes County.....	Lexington, Miss.....	S. M. Smith.....	Bush W. Allen.....	100
186..Gabriel Alexander.....	Harrodsburg, Ky.....	L. M. Smith.....	George H. Ezell.....	165
187..Stephen D. Lee.....	Columbus, Miss.....	A. A. Kincannon.....	Jas. A. Thompson.....	
188..W. W. Meriwether.....	Paragould, Ark.....	R. W. Meriwether.....		

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189.	Springfield.....	Springfield, Mo.	Dr. W. P. Patterson.	R. S. Roberts.	33
190.	R. E. Lee.....	Houston, Mo.	T. W. Ruckley.....	W. E. Barton.	10
191.	Sterling Price.....	Warrensburg, Mo.	James L. Robinson.	H. J. Burris.	20
192.	C. E. Luck Sons....	Stenston, Miss.	James E. Harris.....	Marshall N. Franks..	13
193.	Thomas L. Broun..	Charleston, W. Va.	W. D. Payne.....	C. C. Lewis, Jr.....	23
194.	John H. Reagan....	Boonsboro, Ark.	T. L. McColloch.....	W. F. Bell.....	24
195.	John G. Walker....	Ballinger, Tex.	R. B. Truly.....	R. L. Maddox.....	35
196.	West Feliciana.....	St. Francisville, La.	A. F. Barrow.....	E. R. Moses.....	26
197.	Robert C. Newton..	Little Rock, Ark.	J. S. Barkman.....	Chas. M. Connor....	27
198.	Jenkins.....	Huntington, W. Va.	O. J. Wilkinson.....	Chas. M. Connor....	70
199.	Henry Kyd Douglas	Shepherdstown, W. Va.	R. T. Banks.....	David Lemen.....	67
200.	Walshall.....	Water Valley, Miss.	M. C. Knox.....	C. P. McClung.....	41
201.	Stonewall Jackson..	Charles Town, W. Va.	C. E. Taylor.....	Clayton L. Haines...	35
202.	J. Z. George.....	Winona, Miss.	Walter Trotter.....	W. H. Farmer, Jr....	10
203.	Gen. F. M. Cockrell.	West Plains, Mo.	Henry D. Green.....	R. S. Hogan.....	22
204.	Buren.....	Rogersville, Tenn.	W. C. Lyons.....	S. P. Miller.....	45
205.	Fitzgerald.....	Charleston, Miss.	T. B. Dudley.....	C. S. Summers.....	77
206.	Joe Wheeler.....	Tuscumbia, Ala.	R. J. Thurman, Jr....	O. G. Simpson.....	90
207.	John R. Sturges....	Waynesboro, Ga.	Phil P. Johnston.....	W. M. Fulcher.....	69
208.	Z. L. Watters.....	Salem, Ark.	Frank Watters.....	Geo. T. Humphries..	37
209.	Sam Davis.....	Humboldt, Tenn.	J. A. Collinsworth....	W. M. Dunlap.....	30
210.	W. L. Jackson.....	Parkersburg, W. Va.	W. G. Peterkin.....	James S. McClur....	16
211.	John W. Morton....	New Albany, Miss.	W. A. Liddell.....	C. S. Cullens.....	39
212.	Smith Lipscomb....	Gaffney, S. C.	J. G. Wardlaw.....	W. W. Thomas.....	39
213.	Mildred Humphreys	Greenwood, Miss.	T. R. Henderson.....	P. S. George.....	75
214.	Zollicoffer.....	Lawrenceburg, Tenn.	Robt. B. Williams....	David H. Derrick....	20

215..	N. B. Forrest.....	Memphis, Tenn.....	W. B. Henderson.....	N. B. Forrest.....	564
216..	Alf. Rowland.....	Rowland, N. C.....	Ed J. McCollum.....	A. M. McLean.....	17
217..	Barton R Harrell.....	New Lewisville, Ark.....	L. E. Quinn.....	W. J. Harrington.....	40
218..	Stuart-Epes.....	Dimwiddle, C. H., Va.....	A. M. Organ.....	Wm. E. Stockdell.....	14
219..	Joe B. Freeman.....	Jackson, Tenn.....	M. A. Matthews.....	Robt. B. Lindsey.....	70
220..	L. Q. C. Lamar.....	Oxford, Miss.....	J. W. T. Folkner.....	P. H. Wright, Jr.....	28
221..	John P. Cox.....	Hillsboro, Texas.....	B. W. Cummings.....	C. M. Smithdeal.....	52
222..	Charles Clark.....	Greenville, Miss.....	Samuel Montgomery.....	A. G. Yerger.....	45
223..	George M. Troupe.....	Dublin, Ga.....	C. A. Weddington.....	S. B. Baker.....	41
224..	John C. Fizer.....	Batesville, Miss.....	H. M. Johnson.....	C. L. Johnson.....	37
225..	Frank P. Gracey.....	Clarksville, Tenn.....	Julien F. Gracey.....	F. D. Daniel.....	38
226..	H. H. Boone.....	Huntsville, Texas.....	R. B. Halley.....	H. H. Glover, Jr.....	23
227..	Wm. Barksdale.....	Meridian, Miss.....	C. W. Bailey.....	Franklin Heiss.....	105
228..	Dick Taylor.....	Marlin, Texas.....	George H. Carter.....	F. M. Burkhead.....	144
229..	Cabarrus County.....	Concord, N. C.....	James F. Hurley.....	John M. Cook.....	18
230..	Stonewall Jackson.....	Purcell, I. T.....	W. H. Woods.....	C. W. Haggard.....	22
231..	William L. Brandon.....	Woodville, Miss.....	W. F. Tucker.....	Robert Lewis.....	25
232..	William H. Payne.....	Scottsboro, Ala.....	Warwick H. Payne.....	Virgil Bouldin.....	20
233..	Pat Cleburne.....	Jonesboro, Ark.....	G. W. Culberhouse.....	John R. West.....	25
234..	James Swain.....	Morristown, Tenn.....	J. M. Harle.....	C. N. Lowlett.....	33
235..	R. O. Reynolds.....	Aberdeen, Miss.....	C. E. Hamilton.....	J. S. Hopkins.....	44
236..	Jefferson Davis.....	Arkadelphia, Miss.....	R. K. Jayne.....	M. Wells, Jr.....	35
237..	Flanagin.....	Arkadelphia, Ark.....	Granville Goodloe.....	L. C. Newberry.....	18
238..	Col. C. H. Carlton.....	Lake Village, Ark.....	R. M. Gaines.....	J. E. Hall.....	15
239..	R. E. Lee.....	Fort Worth, Texas.....	Oscar W. Gillespie.....	W. B. McAdams.....	1052
240..	N. B. Forrest.....	Sharon, Tenn.....	Homer L. Higgs.....	T. J. Shannon.....	25
241..	Wm. S. Bankhead.....	Courtland, Ala.....	Lawson Sykes.....	D. L. Martin.....	50
242..	Estes.....	Brownsville, Tenn.....	N. B. Keathly.....	Bate Bond.....	34

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243.	Pike.....	Magnolia, Miss.	J. H. Stevens.....	John A. Lamkin.....	20
244.	Gus, A. Scott.....	Jackson, La.	D. M. Pipes.....	W. C. Jones.....	25
245.	Joe Shelby.....	Augusta, Ark.	Tilman Campbell.....	R. T. Harville.....	20
246.	W. E. Lacy.....	El Dorado, Ark.	R. E. Lee Giles.....	Jesse J. Craig.....	25
247.	T. B. Kenedy.....	Vaiden, Miss.	John E. McCling.....	W. M. Adderson.....	31
248.	W. D. Meriwether..	Tiptonville, Tenn.	W. T. Moore.....	R. C. Donaldson.....	15
249.	Fort Donaldson....	Erin, Tenn.	Guy L. Hagler.....	S. R. Harper.....	30
250.	Cerro Gordo.....	Mt. Sterling, Ky.	J. B. Taulbee.....	Jack W. Burbridge..	16
251.	N. B. Forrest.....	Martin, Tenn.	John M. Gardner.....	John M. Lowler.....	31
252.	J. R. M. DuBerry...	Pittsboro, Miss.	Alvin Phillips.....	N. R. Lamar.....	19
253.	Hollingsworth.....	Gadsden, Ala.	W. P. Johnson.....	S. E. Jordan.....	35
254.	Toby's Bus. College.	Waco, Texas.	Sam S. Knight.....	Carey L. O'Bryan...	29
255.	W. S. Davis.....	Waynesboro, Miss.	Alex Powe.....	D. M. McRae.....	20
256.	Reuben Burrow....	Atoka, Tenn.	P. C. Irwin.....	J. L. Johnson.....	53
257.	James Alexander...	Covington, Tenn.	Wm. M. Simonton...	A. M. Smith.....	22
258.	Wade Hampton.....	Karnes City, Texas.	J. Albert King.....	John T. Love.....	14
259.	Holtzclaw.....	Montgomery, Ala.	Tement Lomax.....	D. S. Hausman.....	52
260.	Frank Cheatham....	Dickson, Tenn.	E. W. Ridings.....	W. W. Doty.....	25
261.	Pat Cleburne.....	Sheridan, Ark.	I. P. Shepherd.....	S. W. Douglas.....	15
262.	Frank Sampson.....	Dyersburg, Tenn.	Robert L. Murph..	J. E. Benson.....	91
263.	Frank Ogden.....	Sulligent, Ala.	D. D. Hollis.....	W. W. Ogden.....	15
264.	Turgis.....	New Orleans, La.	Loys Charbonnet...	W. B. Mangum.....	15
265.	Pat Henry.....	Brandon, Miss.	G. W. White.....	L. E. Bates.....	21
266.	Charles Reed.....	Paducah, Ky.	J. D. Mocquot.....	Jesse Ullman.....	21
267.	R. A. Pinson.....	Pontotoc, Miss.	R. B. Patterson.....	Sam T. Pitts.....	26
268.	Fayette Hewitt....	Frankfort, Ky.	W. W. Longmoor.....	A. Knox.....	10

269..	N. W. Lea.....	Lyon, Miss.....	James F. Fontaine.....	J. T. Jenkins.....	20
270..	John R. Long.....	Springfield, Tenn.....	G. E. Smith.....	J. M. Elam.....	21
271..	Crockett.....	Alamo, Tenn.....	W. W. Craig.....	F. P. Hess.....	21
272..	The Nelson Grays... ..	Bardstown, Ky.....	Eli H. Brown, Jr.....	George S. Mann.....	16
273..	Philip Frazier.....	Lewisburg, W. Va.....	John C. Dice.....	H. L. Van Sickler.....	18
274..	W. F. Taylor.....	Ripley, Tenn.....	M. M. Lindsay.....	A. O. Durham.....	16
275..	James Moran.....	Dresden, Tenn.....	J. R. Bragg.....	R. T. Lewis.....	38
276..	Col. Alfred Johnston	Benton, Ky.....	W. Mike Oliver.....	Charles Jones.....	11
277..	Guy Dreux.....	Gretna, La.....	John A. Langridge.....	Jno. E. Baudreaux.....	28
278..	A. S. Johnson.....	Chewalla, Tenn.....	C. E. Hurley.....	A. D. Derryburry.....	26
279..	Stephen D. Lee.....	West Point, Miss.....	T. G. Hibbler.....	Dave Cottrell.....	12
280..	Pat Cleburne.....	Dublin, Miss.....	S. W. Glass.....	J. R. Coat.....	10
281..	Add-Rau University	Hermoson, Texas.....	W. H. Shumate.....	J. C. Mullins.....	20
282..	Lone Star.....	Center, Texas.....	J. C. Rogers.....	A. H. McKnight.....	50
283..	Andrew J. Griggs... ..	Camden, Ark.....	T. J. Gaughan.....	C. R. Benson.....	43
284..	Hampshire.....	Romney, W. Va.....	Robert White.....	W. H. Poling.....	14
285..	E. A. Perry.....	Pensacola, Fla.....	John S. Beard.....	S. Pasco, Jr.....	45
286..	Jobe Neill.....	Batesville, Ark.....	W. B. Lawrence.....	W. W. Powell.....	35
287..	Baylor University.....	Waco, Texas.....	J. B. Pool.....	J. J. Miller.....	30
288..	Meadville.....	Meadville, Miss.....	D. B. Butler.....	W. A. Reynolds.....	15
289..	Doc A. Wilkins.....	Duck Hill, Miss.....	J. M. Conger.....	Y. W. Miller.....	22
290..	Bedford Forrest.....	Lexington, Texas.....	J. W. Dickson.....	G. P. Dickson.....	36
291..	Bouanchaud.....	New Roads, La.....	F. C. Claiborne.....	H. Bouanchaud.....	49
292..	John H. Reagan.....	Snyder, Texas.....	M. D. Williams.....	E. B. Barnes.....	48
293..	Sterling Price.....	Poplar Bluffs, Mo.....	Geo. C. Orchard.....	Jas. E. Graig.....	43
294..	Pat Cleburne.....	Van Buren, Ark.....	H. C. Pernot.....	W. A. Shibley.....	46
295..	R. K. Boyd.....	Albertville, Ala.....	Edward O. McCord.....	Jas. E. Ray.....	14
296..	Morgan.....	Hartselle, Ala.....	Jas. H. Corsbie.....	Porter M. Brindley..	40

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297.	A. A. Dysart.	Lewisburg, Tenn.	J. R. Harris.	M. M. Summer.	16
298.	Robt. McCulloch.	Boonville, Mo.	F. D. Richards.	Arthur McCarthy.	17
299.	H. B. Granbury.	Hico, Texas.	Will W. Tabor.	J. C. McKeeg.	62
300.	Calvin Crozier.	Wills Point, Texas.	W. H. Wingo.	W. L. Reeves.	35
301.	Sam Davis.	Hearne, Texas.	J. R. Covington.	J. F. Lane.	37
302.	Weightman.	Lexington, Mo.	Thos. B. Ramsey.	Geo. A. Venable.	41
303.	R. E. Lee.	Luling, La.	I. B. Sellers.	R. J. Sellers.	19
304.	C. R. Irving.	Amelia Ct. H., Va.	B. S. Johnson.	F. S. Farrar.	41
305.	Anselm J. McLaurin.	Washington, D. C.	Thos. R. Raines.	Ansil D. Talbert.	33
306.	Troupe Randle.	Union Springs, Ala.	J. H. Rainer, Jr.	B. P. Powell.	38
307.	Pelham.	Eutaw, Ala.	Thos. F. Quarles.	J. C. Coleman, Jr.	17
308.	A. C. Kincaid.	Summersville, W. Va.	R. A. Kincaid.	A. P. Smith.	11
309.	J. H. Hammer.	West, Texas.	Elmer Moore.	F. W. Barzak.	30
310.	Jubal A. Early.	Bluefield, W. Va.	J. M. Peters.	A. S. Booker.	25
311.	W. W. Merritt.	McKinney, Texas.	J. P. Moulden.	R. C. Merritt.	52
312.	Stonewall Jackson.	Holliday, Texas.	W. R. Ground.	S. B. Orton.	70
313.	Stonewall Jackson.	Athens, Texas.	Guy Green.	Ronald McDonald.	22
314.	Ector.	Marshall, Texas.	C. E. Heartsill.	John C. McLain.	52
315.	Joe Wheeler.	Canadian, I. T.	John G. Smith.	N. R. Nowlin.	45
316.	Pertwood.	Peerless, Texas.	D. A. Sturdivant.	Guy M. Hargrave.	19
317.	Jas. W. Thomson.	Summit Point, W. Va.	C. D. Snyder.	G. A. Davis.	26
318.	A. T. Gay.	Graham, Texas.	Tom Price.	Geo. H. McLaren.	32
319.	A. J. Vaughan.	LaGrange, Texas.	W. E. Franklin.	H. M. Gossom.	10
320.	Gabe Whorton.	Baird, Texas.	John W. Woods.	J. H. Cochran.	40
321.	Corinth.	Corinth, Miss.	Theo. Borroun.	W. A. Johns.	35
322.	Henry Gray.	Coushatta, La.	J. R. Moss.	J. R. L. Thomas.	68

323..	N. B. Forrest.....	Greenfield, Tenn.....	Homer Lee Higgs.....	W. G. Campbell.....	10
324..	Stonewall Jackson..	Mulberry, Ark.....	T. L. Jackson.....	Colquitt Wilson.....	23
325..	Dick Taylor.....	Mansfield, La.....	H. T. Liverman.....	L. G. Williams.....	37
326..	J. E. B. Stuart.....	New Port News, Va.....	J. E. B. Stuart.....	J. A. Hirschberg.....	48
327..	Thomas G. Connally	McGregor, Texas.....	John P. Cooper.....	F. M. Mabey.....	76
328..	Stonewall- Jackson..	Pilot Point, Texas.....	Will D. Burks.....	W. B. McShaw.....	37
329..	Sul Ross.....	Kaufman, Texas.....	W. B. Douglas.....	J. H. Erwin.....	127
330..	Albert S. Johnson..	Big Springs, Texas.....	H. C. King.....	W. V. Erwin.....	36
331..	J. B. Evans.....	Cundiff, Tex.....	J. B. Evans.....	Wm. Turner.....	22
332..	Coalgate.....	Coalgate, I. T.....	L. T. Covington.....	M. B. Hickman.....	20
333..	Stonewall Jackson..	Durant, I. T.....	W. R. Collins.....	A. Frank Ross.....	52
334..	J. E. B. Stuart.....	Mabank, Texas.....	L. C. Spikes.....	F. A. Bevens.....	25
335..	Los Angeles.....	Los Angeles, Cal.....	W. B. Scarborough.....	Emit H. Wilson.....	36
336..	Vernon.....	Vernon, Texas.....	W. D. Berry.....	L. K. Johnson.....	18
337..	Gen. J. M. Taylor...	Scott's Hill, Tenn.....	B. A. Tucker.....	J. H. Fanning.....	17
338..	N. B. Forrest.....	Bolivar, Tenn.....	N. F. Hizer.....	Ernest McDaniel.....	25
339..	J. W. Throcmorton..	Wylie, Texas.....	B. Z. Allen.....	R. L. Gallagher.....	15
340..	B. J. Abbott.....	Okolona, Miss.....	L. P. Haley.....	R. J. Gordon.....	22
341..	Cooper.....	Caddo, I. T.....	Ira L. Smith.....	A. L. Russell.....	39
342..	Joe Wheeler.....	Clinton, La.....	C. W. Ball.....	Chas. L. Ross.....	15
343..	l'elham.....	Montezuma, Ga.....	Audley D. Maxwell.....	Carl L. DeVaughn..	30
344..	W. G. Boyd.....	China Springs, Texas...	Ben Kennedy.....	A. M. Smith.....	75
345..	J. C. Rogers.....	Cameron, Texas.....	Monta J. Moore.....	S. O. Jones.....	43
346..	Francis M. Cockrell.	East Prairie, Mo.....	C. D. Mitchell.....	R. A. Doyle.....	10
347..	John H. Reagan....	Lancaster, Texas.....	R. R. Ellis.....	R. E. Ellis.....	40
348..	Bedford Forrest....	Coahoma, Texas.....	S. B. Echols.....	Walter Robinson...	14
349..	Terry's Rangers....	El Paso, Texas.....	R. F. Burgess.....	John Sneed.....	30
350..	Erath County.....	Stephenville, Texas.....	H. Perry.....	Davis K. Doyle.....	35

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351.	J. Wm. Brown.....	Longview, Texas.....	T. A. Bramlett.....	W. E. Beall.....	24
352.	Rea.....	Lake Providence, La.....	F. B. Davis.....	J. R. Pittman.....	11
353.	Stonewall Jackson..	Sedalia, Mo.....	Wm. D. Steele.....	Walter D. Moore.....	46
354.	D. A. Carrington....	Jewett, Texas.....	J. M. Chatham.....	Ed. L. Evans.....	20
355.	B. T. Estes.....	Texarkana, Texas.....	Rallin W. Rodgers.....	W. H. Stone.....	23
356.	Stonewall Jackson..	Garland, Texas.....	Tom R. Spencer.....	Walter L. Griffin...	39
357.	Joe Shelby.....	Dorphan, Mo.....	Chas. H. Ireland.....	T. J. Bennett.....	30
358.	Leroy Stafford.....	Alexandria, La.....	C. E. Pierson.....	W. W. Whittington..	52
359.	J. L. Halbert.....	Corsicana, Texas.....	L. R. Callaway....	Jno. R. Mays.....	36
360.	Kansas City.....	Kansas City, Mo.....	Garland M. Jones.....	Jno. F. Lumpkin....	13
361.	Attalla.....	Attalla, Ala.....			37
362.	Albert S. Johnston..	Duncan, I. T.....	J. C. Marr.....	W. B. Cantrell.....	26
363.	Leary Nicholls.....	Gonzales, La.....	Jos. Gonzales.....	F. E. Babin.....	17
364.	John H. Morgan.....	Clarendon, Texas.....	W. H. Cooke.....	D. B. Hill.....	50
365.	Tom Green.....	Lewisville, Texas.....	Harden T. Smith.....	F. C. Brannon.....	27
366.	Abilene.....	Abilene, Texas.....	Tom Bledson.....	W. R. Keeble.....	16
367.	Stonewall Jackson..	Gibbsland, La.....	W. W. Todd.....	W. P. Hamner.....	14
368.	E. W. Pettus.....	Selma, Ala.....	W. B. Craig.....	Theo. Lacy.....	79
369.	Sul Ross.....	Nocoma, Texas.....	Geo. A. Forshee.....	Henry W. Burns.....	55
370.	Francis M. Cockrell.	Muskogee, I. T.....	Franklin Miller.....	J. R. Dudding.....	10
371.	Jefferson Davis.....	Chicota, I. T.....	W. W. Bray.....	Mitchell Yargen.....	11
372.	Thos. H. Watts.....	Forrest Home, Ala.....	Wm. L. Lazenby.....	Barton H. Perry....	11

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